Weather

Improved weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 44.2 and the minimum 37.2, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 56.5 and 46.4.

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URGES SULTAN OF TURKEY BE DEPRIVED OF RULING POWER

Let Him Remain Only As Moslem Spiritual Head, Says London Divine

MENACE TO PEACE

Supreme Council Works On New Treaty With Ottoman Empire

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, February 22.—The question of Turkish retention of Constantinople which is arousing deep public interest, was the subject of many sermons today.

The well-known preacher, Dr. F. B. Meyer, suggested that the only wise course would be to apply to the Sultan the same policy as was applied to the Pope, namely to deprive him of all temporal power in Europe but to allow him to remain at Constantinople as the supreme head of the spiritual interests of the Moslem world.

This would rid Europe, Dr. Meyer added, of a perpetual menace to its peace and would meet the Moslem contention that Constantinople should be retained as a spiritual metropolis.

RETURN OF CONSTANTINOPLE OBJECTED TO BY BRITISH

London, February 23.—A campaign has been started headed by such prominent men as Viscount Bryce and Mr. T. P. O'Connor, protesting against the proposed return of Constantinople "to the bloodstained rule of the Turks." The newspapers print large advertisements appealing to Labor and the public generally to support the movement. It is proposed to submit a protest to Parliament on the subject.

Paris, February 26.—The London correspondent of the Petit Parisienne learns that the result of yesterday's meeting of the London conference as to re-raise several points previously regarded as settled, notably concerning the future regime of Asia Minor and the Turkish frontiers.

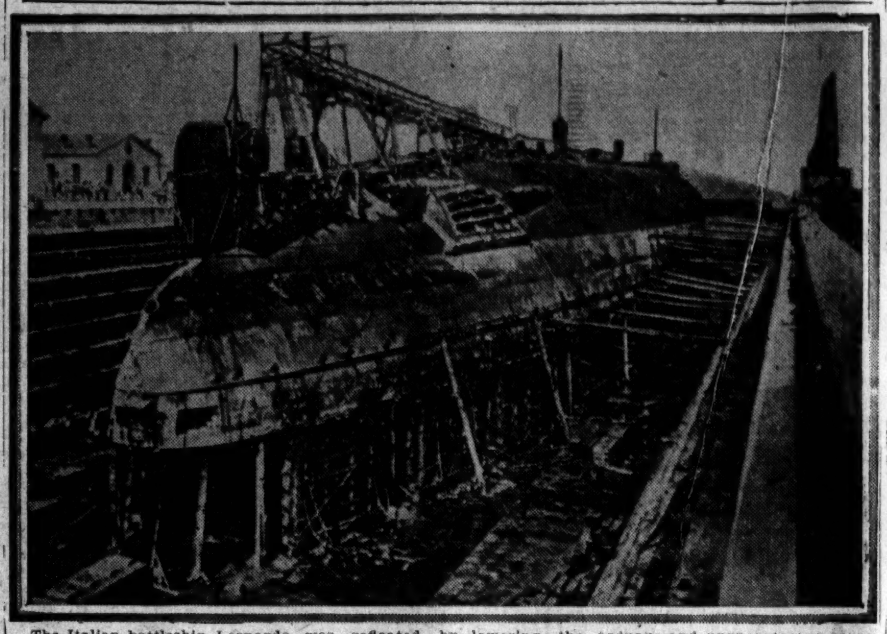
The Supreme Council has decided not to make known any decisions provisionally reached, until it is possible to publish the Turkish treaty as a whole. The discussion of the treaty terms continues today (Thursday). Mr. Lloyd George is expected to make a statement on the subject in the House of Commons this evening.

ALLIED STATESMEN GET SECOND U.S. ADRIATIC NOTE

London, February 26.—The Allied Financial Conference meets here today. M. Francis Marsal, Minister of Finance represents France. The main subject of discussion will be the Exchange question, and particularly the effects on exchange of the export and import position and of the inflated circulation of paper money.

London, February 26.—President Wilson's second note on the Adriatic question was received here yesterday. The Allied statesmen will discuss the note today.

Italian Battleship, Which Turned Turtle, Salvaged



The Italian battleship Leonardo da Vinci, which was sunk by an internal explosion in 1916, and regarded as a total loss, has been salvaged by a plan devised by General Ferrati, of the Corps of Naval Constructors. The great vessel, which had "turned turtle," was refloated by lowering the water inside by means of compressed air, after the openings made by the explosions had been repaired. The vessel was then towed, still up-side-down, to a large masonry dry dock. This wonderful engineering feat was only accomplished after three years of arduous and unprecedented operations. Arrangements have been completed to tow the vessel to a suitable depth, where she will be restored to an upright position by means of lateral displacement of weights and internal flooding. The vessel is shown in drydock, still "up-side-down."

Michigan Warns Dry Agents

Prohibition Detectives Threatened With Arrest

Maryland Would Rejoin Wets

(*Reuter's Service*)

Iron River (Michigan), February 25.—Mr. McDonough, State Attorney, has issued a warning that he is prepared to arrest every United States prohibition agent in the Iron County, and that he has arranged for a hundred pickedmen to carry out his orders.

This warning is in reply to the statement by Major Dalrymple, the Prohibition Director, that he would "stamp out the open revolt against Federal authority" in the Iron County.

Mr. McDonough called on Major Dalrymple and informed him that if any attempt were made to arrest anyone in the Iron County or to raid any private house, he would arrest the Federal agents.

A full investigation into the prohibition controversy in the Iron County has been ordered by the Prohibition Commission and Mr. Gaylord, Deputy Prohibition Commissioner, has been sent there for that purpose.

Annapolis, (Maryland), Feb. 25.—Resolutions have been introduced into both Houses of the State Legislature, proposing the rescinding of Maryland's ratification of the Federal Prohibition Amendent and authorising the Governor to take proceedings for its annulment.

Atlantic City, Feb. 23.—Governor Edwards of New Jersey announces his intention of going to the National Democratic Convention prepared to fight for the anti-prohibition platform. He states that he expects that prohibition will be the liveliest issue of the National Convention.

Washington, Feb. 25.—The Federal Prohibiton Enforcement Bureau has informed the House of Representatives Ways and Means Committee that thefts of liquor, bonded in distilleries and warehouses, have increased at an alarming rate since the country has been dry.

The Bureau urges that all supplies be placed in special warehouses under a Federal guard.

ARMED ROBBERS SENT TO PRISON FOR FIVE YEARS

Two men who confessed that they were members of the gang of seven armed robbers who looted a residence at 478 Burkhill Road of jewelry valued at $2,000 were sentenced to five years imprisonment by British Assessor Grant Jones and Magistrate Li in the Mixed Court yesterday. One was a doctor, Zau Kyung-piau, and the proprietor of a hot water shop, Sung San-ziang. Both asserted that they were forced by threats of death to take part in the robbery.

Armed with a water pistol, fashioned like a modern automatic, a knife and ropes the band entered the residence, in the absence of the owner, intimidated the servants and looted the place. The servants were bound with the ropes and were not rescued until some time after the robbers had escaped.

Detectives investigated the case, two arrests followed but the others concerned in the robbery have not yet been arrested.

Ma Lau-nyi, who is still a fugitive, was blamed by both defendants in the case yesterday of having instigated the robbery. They said that he made threats of death against them if they refused to participate in the crime and that when the loot had been sold he divided the money, keeping the greater part of it for himself.

The police told the court that Zau received $45 as his share of the spoils and that Sung got $50. Zau said he received about $10 and Sung denied getting anything for his part in the raid.

It was shown that it was the doctor who carried the toy pistol and the shopkeeper who had the knife. The shopkeeper asserted that the knife was held at his throat and he was threatened with death unless he joined the robbers and when he finally acquiesced the weapon was thrust into his hands and he was instructed to carry it.

INFRINGEMENT OF YARN TRADE MARK ALLEGED IN SUIT

Cotton yarn valued at over Taels 10,000 and found in a boat on the Soochow Creek was ordered attached by the Mixed Court yesterday pending the bringing of a civil action by Messrs. Arnhold Brothers and Company, Ltd., general managers of the Oriental Cotton, Spinning and Weaving Company, who charge that their trade mark has been infringed. The owner of the cargo is not known. Shortly before 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon police seized the cargo and it is now in the Gordon Road Station. Two policemen had been detailed for duty on the boat all night Thursday.

The cotton is in bundles and each bundle bore a chop similar to the trade mark used by the Oriental Cotton, Spinning and Weaving Company. The Company, however, paste the labels on the bundles and the chops found on the cotton seized by the police have been placed beneath the strings with which the wrapping paper is tied around the yarn.

In court yesterday morning, Mr. E. L. Hartopp, who represented Messrs. Arnhold Brothers and Company, inferred that the trade mark had been infringed by some one who sold short and can not cover. Mr. John A. Moller of the firm testified that the seized yarn would be worth Taels 60 a bale above what it would be valued in the open market, because of the chop. There were 48 bales in the boat.

According to the testimony, the "aodah on the boat insisted that he did not know the owner of the yarn. He told Mr. Moller that the owner of the boat was in tea house and that the boat was ordered to Birt's Wharf, Mr. Moller told the court.

The compradore at Birt's Wharf knew nothing of the yarn and was not advised that it had been sent there to be press-packed. It was learned yesterday afternoon.

PROPOSED BRITISH WAR FORTUNE TAX WILL AFFECT MANY

Inland Revenue Chairman Suggests Total Levy Will Also Reach Gigantic Sum

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, February 24.—The select parliamentary committee on the taxation of war fortunes opened its investigations today under the chairmanship of Sir William Pearce, the well known chemical manufacturer.

The principal witness was Sir John Anderson, Chairman of the Board of Inland Revenue, who estimated that the cost of the scheme would be from one-tenth to one-fifth percent on the amount collected. He anticipated that the tax would be paid to a considerable extent in kind, such as War Loan securities, and suggested that provision should be made for payments by installments liability being assessed at the outset and payments spread over ten years.

The witness thought that the valuation would affect 340,000 persons but many individuals would have several valuations on ships, furniture, jewels, estates, etc.

DISTINCTION IN WEALTH

Sir John Anderson suggested the consideration of some form of "floating charge" which would sufficiently guarantee the interests of the Crown without interfering with legitimate business interests. He considered that the tax should not fall exculsively on war profits but should also deal with increase in wealth without regard to how it was brought about.

The department could not distinguish between wealth gained by questionable means, wealth accruing simply from the war and wealth accumulated by exceptional personal effort and self-denial

Asked what sum he expected to obtain, Sir John Anderson replied, "£1,000,000,000."

ASQUITH IS WINNER OF PARLIAMENT SEAT

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, February 25.—The result of the polling at the Paisley by-election is as follows:

Mr. Asquith 14,736.
Mr. Biggar (Labor) 11,902.
Mr. MacKean (Coalition Unionist) 3,795.

Labor Party Chief Demands Wilson Veto

(*American Consulate Wireless*)

Chicago—Max Hayes, chairman of the United States Labor Party has sent a radio message to President Wilson demanding that he veto the Cummings bill, which is being attacked by labor leaders throughout America. He said the Labor party undoubtedly would have a congressional ticket in the field in the coming presidential election.

French Railwaymen Employed On P.L.M. Call General Strike

(*French Wireless Service*)

Paris, February 26.—A general strike has been declared on the P.L.M. railway.

In accordance with the decision taken by the Trade Unions on Tuesday, traffic on the P.L.M. was generally suspended yesterday morning. Men in the workshops and depots downed tools in conjunction with the out-door staff.

A few trains however were run. The newspapers state that the Government has taken all necessary measures to safeguard the public interest and that the transport of foodstuffs to Paris and other big cities served by the P.L.M. will not be affected.

(*Reuter's Wireless Service*)

Paris, February 26.—M. Millerand left London for Paris this morning.

(Note: This is probably in connection with the P. L. M. strike).

Oil Land Bill Is Signed By Wilson

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, Feb. 25.—President Wilson has signed the Oil Land Leasing Bill, providing for the development of one million acres of land in the West.

JAPANESE OF AMUR DISTRICT TIGHTENING ARMY'S LINES

Zemstvo Appeal To Nipponese To Pacify People Of Russia

LETTS' SHIP HELD

British Forbidden To Export Goods Not Salable In Siberia

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Vladivostok, February 26.—The Japanese have issued a proclamation stating: "Our soldiers who are evacuating the Amur district will temporarily be stationed in the Priamur district."

The Zemstvo has addressed an appeal to the Japanese requesting them to evacuate their troops direct through Vladivostok and so "pacify the Russian people."

Vladivostok, February 26.—The Zemstvo has held up the steamer Gweneth which was to have sailed on the 24th instant for Europe with the first batch of repatriated Letts, because she has 400 tons of tea, the property of a Russian firm, on board. The British Consul has been informed that the tea must first be unloaded and that then the ship may proceed.

AUCTION IS HELD UP JAPANESE FISHERIES

The Zemstvo has refused a permit to the British Military Mission to export the balance of their stocks of material which are unsalable here.

Vladivostok, February 26.—The auction of the fisheries in which Japanese firms are interested has been postponed. The Zemstvo has informed the Japanese Consul that it disputes several conditions attached to the sale.

LOCAL RUSS ENVOYS GO TO VLADIVOSTOK

Two representatives of the Russian community here have left for Vladivostok to ask the authorities there to appoint new consular officials in Shanghai, it was ascertained yesterday. The Shanghai men are making the trip as a result of meetings held here. They will claim that the present consular officials do not represent the newly-formed Russian government.

DEMOCRATS IN NEW MEXICO ASK HOOVER TO RUN ON TICKET

(*Reuter's Service*)

Santa Fe, New Mexico, Feb. 23.—A message signed by every Democrat in New Mexico has been sent to Mr. Herbert Hoover expressing the hope that he will be Democratic nominee for the Presidency.

U.S. Business Men Protest Cutting Of Foreign Trade Sum

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, Feb. 23.—The Chamber of Commerce of the United States has addressed a protest to members of Congress against the cutting down of the Foreign trade estimates.

Universal Military Training In U.S. Is Assailed By G.O.P.

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, February 25.—The House of Representatives Military Committee has accepted the program of the Republican leaders, which proposes the omission of universal training from the Army Reorganisation Bill and has ordered a favorable report on the Bill without the universal training clause.

Caillaux Testifies Regarding Purposes Of Visit To Italy

(*French Wireless Service*)

Paris, February 26.—The Caillaux trial continued yesterday. Accused was again cross-examined regarding his journey in Italy and especially his relations with Signor Martini, Minister in the Salandra Cabinet. This brought the cross-examination to a close.

No Relief For Europe Till Turkish Peace Is Settlea

Mr. Churchill Urges House Of Commons, Now That British Army Is Dispersed, Not To Drive Moslems To Despair

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, February 23.—In the House of Commons this afternoon, Mr. Churchill, introducing the army estimates, emphasised that conscription would terminate on March 31. He claimed that there had been created in a single year what was broadly the pre-war regular army and additional troops had also been organised for the discharge of temporary and new liabilities.

Mr. Churchill mentioned that the British delegates had fought at the Peace Conference for the abolition of conscription but the only response had come from Germany under dire compulsion. All the other States had retained compulsory service including the United States, the originator of the League of Nations, and Russia, the home of advanced political thought.

Nevertheless Great Britain had returned to the voluntary system and would have by April 30 220,000 white troops as compared with 175,000 before the war and also during the greater part of the year 109,000 Indians.

TWO BIG RESPONSIBILITIES

Discussing the increase in the army with a view to the removal of the German menace, Mr. Churchill said that he thought that it was idle to pretend that the pre-war army was proportional to the risk Great Britain ran or to her important role. On the other hand new and serious responsibilities, both temporary and permanent, had been placed on Great Britain as a result of the war, while the whole Eastern world was in a state of extreme disquiet.

In addition to the temporary responsibilities on the Rhine, in plebiscitary Germany, at Constantinople, in Egypt, and northwest Persia, there were two important permanent responsibilities, Palestine and Mesopotamia, where there were garrisons of 10,000 white troops and 13,000 Indian troops and 17,000 white troops and 44,000 Indian troops respectively. Both garrisons must be reduced if either was to pay its way.

Considering the burdens of the East, no relief could be expected until real peace had been made with Turkey.

Mr. Churchill added that he trusted that "having dispersed our armies, we shall not now take steps which may drive the Turkish people to despair or undertake new obligations because our resources are not equal to their discharge."

INCREASE AIR FORCE

Mr. Churchill enumerated the factors of uncertainty in the Middle East, for instance, the Turkish reception of the Peace Treaty, Bolshevist aggression, the effect of the Milner Commission in Egypt, and the determination of responsibilities at Constantinople, but he said he had decided to take an optimistic view and to provide for the reduction of the garrisons in the Middle East in 1920-1921 to half their present strength.

The Irish garrison would number 35,000 as against 25,000 men before the war.

Discussing the finance of the estimates which totalled £125,000,000, Mr. Churchill pointed out that costs were multiplied two and a quarter times as compared with before the war and resulted in less war power. Three or four years of detailed study would be needed to get the same value.

Mr. Churchill favored a steady increase in the Air Force at the expense of the Army and Navy but only in proportion as the Air Force was able to discharge day to day the duties now performed by the Army and Navy. Giving instances of the possibilities of the Air Force, the speaker drew attention to the Somaliland campaign. It was proposed to apply the same principle to Mesopotamia where the Air Force would be the principal agency of control, the Military and Navy acting as auxiliaries.

Referring to the development of tanks, Mr. Churchill mentioned the development of the latest tank which has a speed of 20 miles per hour, adding that although the tank weighed 30 tons the roads were undamaged. Anti-tank warfare had, he said, also profoundly advanced. A new grenade had been devised which could be discharged from an ordinary rifle and was capable of inflicting severe injury on a tank.

TO REDUCE GARRISONS

Summarising the Army scheme, Mr. Churchill emphasised that the Territorial Army would be the normal means for the expansion of the British Forces. For a supreme emergency such as that of August, 1914, Great Britain would be able to provide, complete, one cavalry division and six divisions of regular troops immediately and in the course of the next few months one yeomanry division and 14 divisions of Territorials, complete with equipment and reserve. Behind these would be the cadets which would enable the calling into being of a further 20 divisions.

Mr. Churchill proposed to reduce the garrisons in the Middle East and the Far East to the minimum compatible with security, sending reinforcements from home or from India in the event of an emergency.

He alluded to the fact that the Dominions contemplated reproducing a number of divisions from their present very fine military material but he added: "The adjustment of our relations with them will be undertaken in future months."

NO IMMEDIATE DANGER

If the scheme succeeded, Mr. Churchill continued, Great Britain would have for some years a large latent reserve of trained manhood and ample war material. Germany could not become formidable for a number of years, while France and Belgium who were organising large military forces were bound to Great

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French Deputies Discuss Bill For 1920 Enlistments

(*Reuter's Wireless Service*)

Paris, February 26.—The Chamber of Deputies has begun the discussion of the Bill for the Enlistment of the 1920 class.

Silver Queen Plane On Way To Khartoum

(*Reuter's Service*)

Cairo, February 22.—The new Vickers-Vimy aeroplane, to which the engines and other equipment of the damaged Silver Queen have been transferred, started for Khartoum early this morning.

Taft Says Lansing Kept Within Bounds

St. Joseph, Mo., February 14.—Former President Taft, in a statement said the action of Secretary of State Robert Lansing, in calling meetings of the cabinet during the illness of President Wilson, was not usurpation of authority.

Fullest Statistics On Day's Problems Asked For Britain

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, February 25.—At a farewell dinner to the oversea delegates of the Imperial Statistical Conference last night, a letter from Lieut.-Col. Amery, Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies, was read, emphasising the necessity of the fullest possible statistics with regard to trade, agriculture, mining, finance, population, cost of living, labor and migration and their proper co-ordination in order to develop and utilise the resources of the Empire to their fullest extent. Lieut. Colonel Amery said that he was sure that the deliberations of the Conference had greatly contributed to the attainment of that end which he would do everything in his power to further.

Marshall Would Be Democratic Delegate

Washington, February 14.—Vice-President Thomas R. Marshall, has written the secretary of the democratic national committee, announcing his candidacy as a delegate to the national convention on "an old time democratic platform."

U.S. DEADLOCK ON TREATY IS TIGHTENED BY SENATE VOTE

G. O. P. Reservation, Readopted, Regulates League Withdrawal

DEMOCRATS JOIN

Hitchcock Fails In Move To Get Amendment To It Passed

BORAH TO FIGHT

Announces That He Is Ready To Carry The Issue To People

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, February 21.—The first vote on the Peace Treaty since last November was taken in the Senate today and resulted in the defeat by 38 votes to 26 of a motion by Senator Hitchcock to amend the Republican reservation so that joint resolutions by Congress would be required for notice of the withdrawal of the United States from the League of Nations.

The Senate subsequently readopted by 45 votes to 20 the original reservation. The outcome of the vote on Senator Hitchcock's motion is generally interpreted as likely to tighten the Treaty deadlock.

FOUR DEMOCRATS IN RESERVATION LINE-UP

Washington, February 22.—The majority vote on the motion which was carried in the Senate yesterday by 45 votes to 20 readopting the original Republican reservation to the peace treaty on United States withdrawal from the League of Nations included four Democrats who had previously been opposed to all treaty reservations.

Senator Borah announced that he would "carry the fight before the people" even if the Republicans endorsed ratification with reservations.

U.S. SENATOR SUGGESTS REPUBLICAN PLATFORM

(*American Consulate Wireless*)

Columbus, Ohio—Senator Harding is advocating a Republican platform containing planks for adequate defense of the Nation, for an adequate Navy, for world leadership in aviation, for a stronger army and for voluntary military training.

Navy Contemplates Pacific Facilities At Tremendous Cost

California, Puget Sound And Pearl Harbor To Benefit By 55 Million Plan

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, Feb. 25.—The House of Representatives Naval Committee today considered the question of the development of the Pacific Fleet shore facilities, including the establishment of naval dock-yards and bases for a new fleet.

Admiral Wythe M. Parks submitted estimates for the equipment of new naval-yards in Pearl Harbor and Puget Sound, the total appropriations asked for the two yards being about $3,000,000.

He also asked for $1,500,000 for a submarine base at San Pedro, California, and $1,000,000 for a submarine destroyer base at Port Angeles, Washington, which would also serve as fuel oil bases.

An appropriation of $10,000,000 was asked for docking and repair yards for capital ships in San Francisco Bay, a scheme which would ultimately cost $50,000,000.

Admiral Parks urged Mr. Daniels, the Secretary of the Navy, to bring the question of naval policy in the Pacific before Congress tomorrow.

Rear Admiral Peary Laid At Rest With Full Naval Honors

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, Feb. 23.—Admiral Peary has been buried at Arlington with full naval honors.

SEATTLE PLANS TRADE EXHIBIT

To Show Oriental Products While Convention Is On At San Francisco

A special exhibit of Oriental products and methods of handling them while in transit will be held at Seattle, Washington, while the National Foreign Trade Convention is in progress at San Francisco May 12-15, according to a letter that has been received by Consul-General Edwin S. Cunningham from Mr. Roy O. Hadley, a director of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce, which is arranging the exhibit.

Mr. Hadley says in his communication that delegates to the trade convention who pass through Seattle will be invited to visit piers and terminals where they will see articles of commerce coming from the Orient actually in transit and in process of handling and an announcement of special interest to exporters in Shanghai is that the United States Shipping Board has ruled that a rate of 50 percent of the regular tariff will be given to special exhibits shipped to Seattle from the Orient by Americans for the purpose stated.

Space for special exhibits is to be provided at the Bell Street dock in Seattle by the Port of Seattle Commission and this body will receive and arrange exhibits that are sent from the Orient.

Shippers in the Orient are notified in the letter that exhibits or unusual commodities may be forwarded to the exhibit by addressing them as follows:

C/O C. J. France,
Executive Secretary,
Bell Street Terminal,
Seattle, Wash., U.S.A.

Yale News Notes

(*China Press Correspondence*)

Changsha, February 18.—John P. Rice, Professor of Romance Languages at Williams College, Williamstown, Mass., has just left Changsha en route for India and Europe. Professor Rice is a graduate of Yale University and has been spending half of his sabbatical year teaching at the College of Yale in China. He is now on his way to Spain where he will devote the remainder of the year to research study.

Doctors J. R. B. Branch, George Hadden and F. C. Yen of the Hunan-Yale College of Medicine, together with Miss Nina D. Gage head of the Hunan-Yale School for Nurses have gone to Peking to attend the meeting of the Medical Missionary Association. They were accompanied by Messrs. R. S. Seitz and John Vorys from the College of Yale in China.

The College of Yale in China and the Hunan-Yale College of Medicine will re-open after the New Year recess, on March 1. During the past two months class work has been somewhat interrupted by the city-wide student strike against the Governor, but this has not affected all the students in Mission schools.

Home From Peace Conference

General Tasker Bliss and Frank L. Polk
INTERNATIONAL

Frank L. Polk, Assistant Secretary of State and mentioned as possible successor to Secretary of State Robert Lansing, and General Tasker H. Bliss, photographed upon their arrival in New York from France. Mr. Polk succeeded Secretary Lansing as head of the American Mission to the Peace Conference. General Tasker H. Bliss acted as military member of the American Mission. The photograph of General Bliss was made at the Hotel Astor, New York, shortly after his return from Paris.

Obituary

M. MARCEL DIEULAFOY
(*French Wireless Service*)

Paris, February 26.—The death is announced here at the age of 65 of M. Marcel Dieulafoy, the distinguished archaeologist, whose works on research in Syria and Persia are well-known.

THE REV. Wm. MARTIN, M. A.

To his many friends in Japan and China, the sudden death of the Rev. Wm. Martin, M. A., pastor of Union Church, Yokohama, which occurred on Thursday evening at his son's house in Shanghai, will come as a great shock.

The Rev. Wm. Martin has born on January 16, 1855, at Killenchy, Ireland. He was educated at Queen's College, Belfast, where he took his M. A. degree and was Gold Medallist of his year. He was ordained into the Presbyterian ministry, and after being pastor in Ireland for a few years, was called to St. John's Presbyterian Church, Forest Hill, London. Subsequently, he was for 15 years pastor at the First Presbyterian Church, Santa Rosa, Cal., U.S.A., and left there to hold the Chair of Moral Theology in the Presbyterian Seminary at San Anselmo in the same State. In 191- he was called to Yokohama as Pastor of the Union Church, where he was singularly successful in his ministry, and was much beloved by his congregation.

At the beginning of this year, as his health began to fail, his doctor ordered a trip to Manila. On his way back to Japan, he left his steamer at Shanghai to spend a few days with his son, Mr. W. Craig-Martin, of Arhold Bros. and Co. His death, from heart failure, was very sudden.

Much sympathy is extended to his widow, his two sons (one of whom is in California), and his daughter, Mrs. Whitnack, who is in India.

The funeral will take place today at Bubbling Well Cemetery.

MR. E. JENNER HOGG

Funeral services for Mr. E. Jenner Hogg were held at the Bubbling Well Cemetery yesterday. The Rev. A. J. Walker, dean of the Holy Trinity Cathedral, officiated both in the Chapel and at the graveside. The chief mourners were Messrs. H. Bell and B. Bell, step sons of the deceased.

The pall bearers were Sir Havilland de Saumarez, Sir Everard Frazer, Judge Skinner Turner, Mr. E. C. Pearce, Mr. F. Ascough and Mr. O. M. Green. A large number of sympathetic friends were present.

Floral tributes were many and beautiful, including those from the Shanghai Municipal Council, the Shanghai Horticultural Society, Committee and members of the Royal Asiatic Society of St. George, Shanghai Branch, Shanghai Land Investment Company, Kota Bahroe Rubber Estate, Ltd., Shanghai Mutual Telephone Company, Committee and members of the Country Club and Bradley and Company, Cheng Rubber Estate, Ltd., directors and staff of the Shanghai Gas Company, Meyer and Measor and Chinese and staff of the Parks and Open Spaces.

Sir Havilland de Sausmarez and Lady de Sausmarez; Mr. and Mrs. Skinner Turner; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ezra; N. O. Liddell; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Godfrey and Miss Godfrey; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harpur; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Inglis; E. S. Benbow Rowe; Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Wood and Miss Wood; Major and Mrs. William McBain; R. S. F. McBain; Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Hawks Pott; Mr. H. P. Wilkinson; Major J. S. Fearon; Mr. F. Ascough; the Rev. and Mrs. C. J. F. Symons and Miss Symons; Mr. and Mrs. Francis Unwin and Miss Dorothy Unwin; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Phillips; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. J. Macray; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Burkill; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Burkill; Major and Mrs. Hilton Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Sparke.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Merriman; Mr. and Mrs. Frichling, Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Marsh; Dr. and Mrs. Ivy; Dr. and Mrs. Murray; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. King; Mr. and Mrs. L. W. C. Lordan; E. J. Goodale; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Nottingham; Mr. R. G. Macdonald; E. F. Bateman; James Quin, D. MacGregor; Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Craddock and Miss Craddock, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Curry; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Read; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ryde; Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Vlioudaki, Captain and Mrs. Wallas, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Wright; and Sung Ding-huan.

Sir Hiram Wilkinson; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cravern and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Springfield, W. Irwine; E. A. Prince; Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Ferguson; Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Tucker; Cicil Holliday; Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Reiss; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith; E. C. Richards; N. B. Ramsay; H. F. Bell; Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Donne; E. O. Cummings; Mr. and Mrs. A. Brooke Smith; Mr. and Mrs. Percy Liddell; Mr. and B. J. G. Hill; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Gulland; J. Roy Lavers; Miss E. M. H. Lavers; Gladys and Lawrence Leefe; F. W. Potter and J. K. Tweed.

Arthur Dallas; "Kitty;" "Grand Children"; "Betty"; "Stella and Elstora"; Tah Shing; Ah Shing; Con. Dziang; Chang Yui-dien; Chen Tsze-ding and T. K. Shao.

MARIA B. BOTELHO

The death took place on February 26 of Maria Bernadina, wife of Mr. J. M. Botelho of Messrs. Ilbert and Co.

The funeral services take place this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Church of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, Nanzing Road. Burial will be at Bubbling Well Road Cemetery.

Democrats To Give Women Equal Voice

Washington, February 14.—Women will be given equal representation with men on the executive committee of the democratic national committee, according to announcement by Homer S. Cummings, chairman of the national committee. Eleven women have already been named.

Smiles from the Mixed Court

Having won a few Mex. dollars and sundry coppers and cash at "Sparrow," Dzen Ah-sz rambled homeward happy and contented until he stubbed his toe on a pile of bricks in the middle of the road.

"Whazzis?" he wondered. And took a look around the neighborhood.

A hole in the brick wall of the home of Sung Pau-sung gave him a clue.

"Hello, in there," he shouted through the aperture.

"Hello, yourself," came the reply.

"Have a look-see, I think you've been visited by a burglar," warned Dzen.

"Can happen," replied Sung. "Here he is behind a pile of wood."

The police were called and Tsen Kioe-pau was locked in jail. British Assessor Blackburn and Magistrate Loh thought six months in jail and expulsion would be about right.

Tsen argued, uselessly, that he had accosted his friend Ah Sung, and asked him for a loan but that Ah Sung had suggested burglary, instead.

The loot included three chickens, two ducks and a flock of spareribs.

'Pirates Of Penzance'

For the forthcoming A. D. C. production of the "Pirates of Penzance" all the costumes have been prepared under the direction of Mrs. Renee Bethet. The whole of the scenic arrangements are in the hands of Mr. R. T. Peyton Griffin. He has never done anything better than the two scenes which will mount Gilbert and Sullivan's charming opera. The first scene depicts a rocky coast somewhere in Cornwall and the second the interior of an old monastery. The artist has arranged some fine lighting efforts.

Booking for The Pirates of Penzance will open to the public on March 6 at Messrs. Moutrie and Co. Ltd.

AMERICAN SONG SERVI

The American Song Service be addressed tomorrow Feb 29 by Rev. Frank Rawlinson the Chinese Recorder.

Mrs. Leon P. Kurt, whom was announced would sing, unable to do so. However, Mr. L. Hall, now in the city on way to America will substitute.

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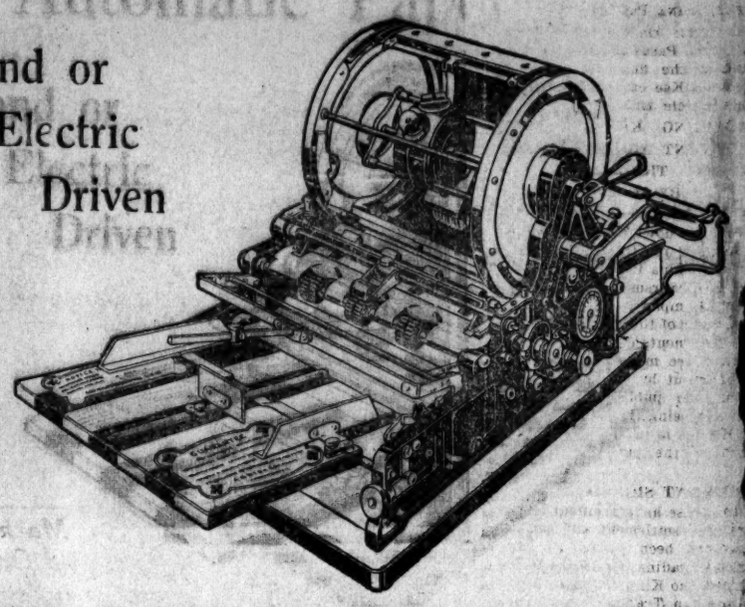

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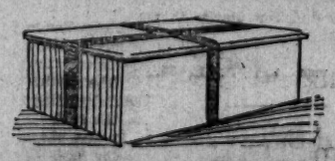

American Trading Co. Wins Action In U.S. Court Brought By Siao King Kee

THE CHINA PRESS has received the following letter from the law firm of Fleming, Davies and Bryan. It is self-explanatory. And in view of the fact that the plaintiff in the case already has given notice of appeal, its accuracy cannot be questioned. The complex nature of the suit itself must be our defense for the error:

To THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Sirs: On the third page in THE CHINA PRESS of today's date is contained the final decree in the Siao King Kee case. The heading of this article is:

"SIAO KING KEE AWARDED JUDGMENT AGAINST AMERICAN TRADING CO. BY COURT.

"An amended and final decree has been handed down by Judge Charles S. Lobingier in the United States Court for China in the case of Siao King Kee versus the American Trading Company. The judgment was in favor of the plaintiff."

The statements contained in your headlines are misleading and are not borne out by the terms of the decision you publish. Instead of the award being in favor of Siao King Kee, it is in fact a judgment in favor of the American Trading Co.

AGREEMENT SIGNED

In this case an agreement in the nature of a settlement and general release had been signed by the American Trading Co., by the terms of which Siao King Kee was to pay the American Trading Co. the sum of Tls. 20,000, and upon payment thereof he was to receive the transfer of a Title Deed which the American Trading Co. held as security, after which neither party was to have any claim against the other. A payment of Tls. 15,000, under said agreement had been made by Siao King Kee on the signing thereof, and the balance was to be paid later. Prior to the payment of the balance of Tls. 5,000 the American Trading Co. discovered that in making up the account by which said sum of Tls. 20,000 had been arrived at, an item of Tls. 19,350, had been credited twice by a mistake induced by an innocent misrepresentation of Siao King Kee's agent. The American Trading Co. thereupon notified Siao King Kee that unless the sum of Tls. 19,350, was added to the balance due them, according to the agreement of settlement and release, they would bring action against him to set aside the release and recover the balance justly due.

ACTION IS BROUGHT

Siao King Kee refused to agree to this and brought action in the United States Court for China to obtain a transfer of the Title Deed which had been deposited as security. The American Trading Co. thereupon brought action against Siao King Kee in the Mixed Court to set aside the contract of settlement and release and for the balance due them including said sum of Tls. 19,350. Subsequently, by agreement between both parties, Siao King Kee submitted to the jurisdiction of the United States Court for China for all matters in dispute between him and the American Trading Company, and the claims of the American Trading Co. were set forth in the nature of a counterclaim to the action which had been commenced by Siao King Kee in said Court.

In the decree the Court found that the said sum of Tls. 19,350, had been omitted from the account by a mutual mistake, and ordered the reformation of the contract to that extent. This was the chief issue involved in the litigaton, and it was resolved in favor of the American Trading Co. The American Trading Co. never refused to transfer the Title Deed held as security, provided this additional amount were paid by Siao King Kee.

THE JUDGMENT

The only act of the judgment which may be considered as in favor of Siao King Kee is where the Court allowed a deduction of Tls. 5,000 (Tls. 2,500 of which the defendant had already remitted) from the amount which would otherwise be due from Siao King Kee, viz: Tls. 24,350, on account of damages alleged to have been sustained by Siao King Kee through the failure of the American Trading Co. to move for a reformation of said agreement of settlement and release at an earlier date. With this one exception, the decree substantiates the claims of the American Trading Co.

We will accordingly thank you to publish a correction of your erroneous statement in just as conspicuous a place in your paper and in just as conspicuous type as published by you today. This mistake is liable to cause considerable injury to the American Trading Co. if not corrected. We realise that you made this mistake unwittingly and feel sure that you will correct the same.

Yours very truly,
FLEMING, DAVIES AND BRYAN.

EUROPEAN RELIEF HINGES ON TURK PEACE-CHURCHILL

(Continued from Page 1)

Britain by ties of friendship and interest which would probably be embodied in military arrangements. Therefore temporarily there was no imminent danger in Western Europe but the time might come when a revival of the military strength of Germany, or of Germany and Russia combined, would necessitate a drastic revision of arrangements.

In conclusion, Mr. Churchill again emphasised that Great Britain alone among the nations had abolished conscription, resulting in the limitation of her military power, adding: "We have to do our best with the forces at our disposal to discharge our duties to the Empire and, should a great emergency arise, we must trust our fleet and the air force to be given time to bring the might—irresistible might as has been proved—of Britain into the field."

The Army estimates vote was agreed to by 215 votes to 52.

MUNICIPAL BANK OPEN

The Municipal Investment Bank will receive deposits through the Finance Department of the Council up to and including Friday, March 5. The Finance Department's offices are at 24b Kiangse Road.

Hapgood Returns To U.S.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hapgood.

Norman Hapgood, American Minister to Denmark, returned to the United States aboard the Frederick VIII., which arrived in New York on December 23. Mr. Hapgood refused to comment on the charges of having been active in behalf of the Russian Soviet Government made by Colonel Harvey in an issue of Harvey's Weekly. He declared that he would leave immediately for Washington. Mr. Hapgood was accompanied by his wife and their young daughter.

Overseas Markets Depended On For British Prosperity

Geddes Suggests Business Men Set Aside Part Of Wares For Export Trade

(Reuter's Service)

London, February 25.—Sir Auckland Geddes, President of the Board of Trade in a speech at the British Industries Fair which was yesterday visited by the King and Queen, said that the Fair since its inauguration in 1915 had entirely changed its character and was no longer an opportunity for the buyer to fill up the gap but presented an opportunity to buyers from all parts of the world to secure goods of any class that they desired. The Government was contemplating a further development, namely, show-rooms on the Continent and elsewhere.

Sir Auckland emphasised that the only way to win back pre-war commercial prosperity was by the development of the export trade. At present the home market was almost too attractive. Profits were easily made and buyers were clamoring for goods but it was the overseas markets on which British trade must rely for the continuation of her prosperity.

He suggested the advisability of business men setting aside a considerable part of their goods for sale overseas. Sir Auckland in conclusion announced that the Government was contributing £100,000 to the guarantee fund of the British Empire Exhibition which would be held in London from May to October, 1921.

Hongkong Bank Meeting Today

The annual general meeting of shareholders of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank will be held today at their head offices in Hongkong.

The net profits for the year ending December 31, 1919, including $3,279,611.48, balance brought forward from last account, after paying all charges, deducting interest paid and due, and making provision for bad and doubtful accounts and contingencies, amounted to $10,666,473.57.

Recommend the transfer of $2,000,000 from the profit and loss account to credit of the silver reserve fund, which fund will then stand at $23,000,000.

They also recommend writing off Bank premises account the sum of $1,000.000.

After making these transfers, deducting the interim dividend of £2.5/- per share, paid on 11th August last, viz. £270,000 @ 3/6=$1,542,857.14, and remuneration to directors, there remains for appropriation $6,093,616.43, out of which the directors recommend the payment of a final dividend of two pound and five shillings sterling per share, viz. £270,000, and a bonus of three pound ten shillings sterling per share, viz. £420,000 amounting in all to £690,000 which at 4/10½, the rate of the day, will absorb $2,830,769.23.

The balance $3,262,847.20 to be carried to new profit and loss account.

The sterling equivalents of the various accounts are shown at 4/10½, the rate ruling on the last day of the year.

Mr. E. V. D. Parr has been elected Chairman for the year 1920, and Mr. A. H. Compton deputy chairman.

Mr. David Landale and Mr. G. T. M. Edkins having resigned their seats on leaving the Colony, Mr. John Johnstone and Mr. Ross Thowson were invited to fill the vacancies. Mr. J. W. C. Bonnar was also invited to join the board. These appointments require confirmation at this meeting.

Mr. Stanley H. Dodwell, Mr. W. L. Pattenden and Mr. J. A. Plummer retire in rotation, but being eligible for re-election, offer themselves accordingly.

The accounts have been audited by Mr. F. Maitland and Mr. E. A. M. Williams, who offer themselves for re-election.

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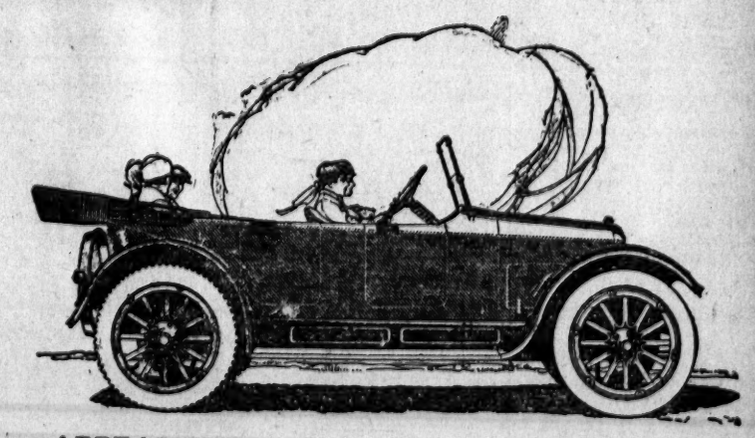

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Goddard Believes Photographs Could Be Obtained Above Earth's Atmosphere

MUST FIRST EXPLORE AIR

He Suggests A Fund To Enable The Smithsonian Institution To Experiment

Worcester, Mass., January 18.—The possibility of photographing in space above the earth atmosphere is suggested in a statement made for The Associated Press today by Dr. Robert H. Goddard, Associate Professor of Physics at Clark College, who is perfecting a rocket which it is expected will carry recording apparatus to extreme altitudes.

Dr. Goddard does not prophesy, however, and says too much attention has been given to the chance that his rocket with a flash powder attachment may hit and illuminate the dark quarter of the moon. For the present the exploration of the atmosphere is the thing to be aimed at. In a signed statement Dr. Goddard says:

"Too much attention has been concentrated on the proposed flash power experiment, and too little on the exploration of the atmosphere. My reason for saying this is not because I believe the former is entirely unrealisable. In fact, if I were to speculate boldly instead of timidly, I would say that based upon equally sound physical principles is the possibility of obtaining photographs, in space, by an apparatus guided by photo sensitive cells (to guide it toward or near a luminous body, a method already proposed for directing high altitude apparatus), precautions being taken to insure a sufficiently safe and conspicuous landing on the return. To continue a speculation, however, on matters concerning which there is little experimental data would, of course, be unwise.

"The point is this: Whatever interesting possibilities there may be of the method that has been proposed, other than the purpose for which it was intended, no one of them could be undertaken without first exploring the atmosphere. Any rocket apparatus for great elevations must first be tested at various moderate altitudes. Also, a knowledge of densities at high levels is essential. Hence, from any point of view, an investigation of the atmosphere is the work that lies ahead.

"Inasmuch as no definite action is ever obtained without a definite proposition, I would like to propose, if the work is of sufficient interest, the raising of from $50,000 to $100,000 by popular subscription, to be used by the Smithsonian Institution in preparing for, and undertaking, a preliminary exploration of the atmosphere by the method in question, the work to be begun either now or at such a time as the Institution shall present such experimental results as will be satisfactory to those who are subscribing."

Japanese Navy Men Visiting In France Told Of War Trials

(French Wireless Service)

Paris, February 26.—The Minister of Marine gave a dinner last night in honor of the Admiral and officers of the Japanese squadron which is visiting France.

The Minister, in proposing the toast of the visitors, referred to the important part played by the Japanese navy in the war and recalled the good relations which had so long existed between France and Japan.

The Minister declared: "We are proud to think that your esteem for us will increase in proportion as you know us better. Tomorrow you will visit the ruins of that city of Verdun, before which the fierce obstinacy of our soldiers wore down and crushed the most formidable and resolute offensive which has ever been launched.

"On Monday you will be conducted over our great factories. You will take away with you the impression of the terrible sacrifices, which France has made to defend, with her own liberty, the liberty of the world, and of the strength of purpose which she now displays to maintain, in spite of the wounds which she has received, her rank as a great producing nation. May your journey contribute to draw closer the bonds which unite our two countries."

Passengers Arrived

Per I-C. s.s. Tuckwo for Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Morton, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bateman, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Blenk, Rev. F Basile, Messrs. W. J. Whiteburst E. G. Johnston, Geo. White, Mrs. Stewart and infant.

Per C.N. s.s. Chenan for Hongkong: Capt. Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Boyling, Rev. Father P. Salvant, Right Rev. Father Guebriant, Rev. Father Pic, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rice, Messrs. D. I. Oliveriya, P. Wiswall, H. E. Carton.

Girl Reveals Activities Of Counterfeiters

Miss Margaret Murray, 17 years old, of Hoboken, N. J., who revealed the activities of one of the most daring gang of counterfeiters in the history of New York. Six alleged members of the band are being held by the New York authorities. According to the police, the band operated in the East for several months and defrauded the public of thousands of dollars. Their method was to paste the corners of large bills on $1.00 bills. Miss Murray testified that she was formerly a member of the band, but reformed. She says she was instrumental in passing much of the "doctored" currency and received $2 for each bill passed.

6 Years Will See U. S. Bone Dry, Say Revenue Men

Chicago, January 13.—A six-year job faces Federal prohibition agents in making the United States dry, according to H. M. Gaylord, Assistant Chief Revenue Commissioner, who addressed agents and inspectors of mid-Western States today.

At the end of that period, Mr. Gaylord said, the Revenue Bureau has figured that the United States will be "a real desert." He added:

"We are going to achieve prohibition. To do this, an educational campaign will be necessary, and the officials in Washington have figured that it will require six years. In that time the sentiment of every law-abiding, self-respecting citizen will be solidly behind prohibition."

Dr. Lorden Speaks At Woman's Club

"Gem Stones and Chinese Cameos" was the title of an interesting paper read yesterday afternoon before the Literary Department of the American Woman's Club by Dr. L. W. C. Lorden, who also exhibited a number of precious stones to illustrate his remarks. The speaker described various stones and asserted that the Chinese, by carefully studying the gem stones at their disposal, were able to produce cameos which are superior in design to those of any other nation.

Emperor Charles Fails To Get Back To Throne

Budapest, February 15.—Circumstantial details have revealed a plot by which it is alleged that Ex-Emperor Charles made a futile attempt to enter Hungary by use of a false passport to re-establish himself on the throne.

Passengers Departed

Per C.N. s.s. Tungchow from Tientsin: Messrs. McGrath, Hencab, 2 Sisters of Charity.

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News Brevities

Miss Marie Tempest and her brilliant comedy organisation left India at the end of the month to continue their tour through the major cities of the East. Their season in India has been a most remarkable one and they have set up a standard of comedy acting which will be remembered for many years to come. The next city to be visited is Rangoon after which in rapid succession the company will visit the Straits Settlements, Shanghai, Tientsin, Peking, Hankow, Hongkong and Japan.

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The Quest Society will meet Monday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at the Royal Asiatic Society Hall. Mr. H. Chatley will open a discussion on "Wealth, Can Power be distributed in proportion to social service?" Mr. A. J. Hughes will preside.

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The American Consul-General has called attention to an omission in a news item appearing in THE CHINA PRESS of February 24, 1920, in reference to the ceremony in connection with the raising of the flag on the new flag staff. It is regretted that it was omitted to state that Commander J. B. Rhodes, U. S. Navy, and a battalion of sailors and marines from the U. S. S. Wilmington, U. S. S. Elcano, and U. S. S. Quiros were detailed to and participated in the flag raising ceremony. It would have been, of course, incompatible with recognised military procedure for the Shanghai Volunteer Corps to be in charge when there was such a representation of the armed force of the regular navy.

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The first annual meeting of the Shanghai Exploration and Development Company will be held in the board room of the China Mutual Life Insurance Company, Ltd., 10 Canton Road, on Monday, March 15, at 4 p.m.

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Mr. Frederick Tillson, representing Montgomery Ward and Company, who arrived in Shanghai this week from Chicago, said yesterday that following the recent opening of the Montgomery Ward branch in Shanghai other branches are to be opened at Hongkong, Manila and other points in the Far East. Mr. Tillson who has recently been visiting Montgomery Ward branches in Japan will remain in Shanghai several weeks before proceeding to Hongkong. Mr. F. A. Simon, who is in charge of the Shanghai branch of the company has announced that sample rooms will soon be opened.

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The Hongkong Police accountant, Chan Pui, who absconded with public funds, has been arrested and is awaiting trial at the Hongkong Police Court.

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Mr. Benjamin W. Haln, state senator of California and a prominent lawyer at Los Angeles, is now visiting in Canton accompanied by Mr. Haln.

CHINESE SWEARS DEVIL IS CAUSE OF AUTO SMASH

Chauffeur Witness In Turner Damage Suit Tells How Accident Occurred

When Mrs. Gwendoline Turner and a Chinese boy servant were so seriously injured in an automobile wreck on Rue Pichon last June that both had to be sent to hospitals it was because the devil himself had appeared in the empty roadway and had forced the blinded driver to dash headlong into a tree. This sinister disclosure fell from the lips of the Chinese driver of the car while testifying as a witness yesterday in the British Supreme Court before Sir Haviland de Sausmarez.

The chauffeur was on the stand as a witness for the defense in the personal injury suit in which Mr. George Aubie Turner, Mrs. Turner and their Chinese boy servant are seeking to recover from the Shanghai Garage company damages for injuries Mrs. Turney and the Chinese servant suffered in the accident. The suit has been of particular interest by reason of a point raised by the defense which is contending that the garage company cannot be held responsible for injuries passengers suffer in auto accidents because on the hire chits appears a printed disclaimer of all such responsibility.

"BLACK SHADE" APPEARS

It was when both court and counsel were endeavoring to learn exactly what had been the cause of the smash-up on Rue Pichon that the chauffeur witness unblinkingly declared that the devil was at the bottom of it. He explained this in answering questions propounded by Sir Haviland, by Mr. K. E. Newman, who represents the plaintiffs in the case, and by Mr. W. S. Levinson, representing the defense.

The road was good; nobody was on it, and the car was on the right side of the road, the witness had said. Suddenly, at a turn, he saw a black shade.

"Who put it there?" the Court asked.

I only saw the black shade. I do not know who put it there."

Mr. Levinson—When you saw the black shade in front of you, could you see any further?

Witness—No.

Mr. Levinson—What effect did that have on you?

Witness—I lost myself.

Mr. Levinson—When you saw the black shade in front of you what did you think?

Witness—I thought it was a devil.

Mr. Levinson—You thought it was a bad joss, I suppose?

Witness—Yes.

Mr. Levinson—Did you think the bad Joss was going to do you any harm?

Witness—That was why the car collided.

Mr. Levinson — When you thought a bad joss was going to do you harm, did that make you lose control of yourself, or what?

Witness—No, the car was beyond my control.

Mr. Newman—Do you remember anything after that?

Witness—No, I did not remember anything after that.

The hearing is to be resumed today.

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LIST OF LOCAL AGENTS
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This familiar query will be answered by this

ABRASIVE COMPOUNDS
The Carborundum Company — American Trading Co.
ADDING MACHINES
Burroughs Adding Machine Co. — Adding, Bookkeeping, Calculating — Andrews & George, 1 Foochow Rd.
Dalton Adding Machine Co., — Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.
Sundstrand Adding & Listing Machine
Barrett Adding-Listing-Computer
Golden Gem Adders — The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Rd.
ALUMINUM WARE
Illinois Pure Aluminum Co. — Willits & Patterson
ANESTHETICS
Procaine (Novocain)
Rector Chemical Co. — American Trading Co.
BALL BEARINGS
The Chinese SKF Co., Ltd.
BANDAGES, CREPE PAPER
Dennison's — American Trading Co.
BEER
Asahi Beer — The Dai Nippon Brewery Co., Ltd.
BELTING
Edward R. Ladew Co., — American Trading Co.
Gandy Belting Co. (Baltimore) — Arnhold Brothers & Co., Ltd.
John Tullis & Son, Ltd. — Arnhold Brothers & Co. — Edward Maurer Co., Inc. — Large Stocks—T.E.M.A.
BOILERS
Erie City Iron Works — American Trading Co.
BOOKS & PUBLICATIONS
D. Appleton & Co., (Miscellaneous); Barse & Hopkins (Children's & Novelties); Badger (Gorham Press), (Miscellaneous); The Century Co. (Miscellaneous); E. J. Clode Pub. Co., (Miscellaneous); Dodd Mead & Co. (Miscellaneous); G. H. Doran & Co. (Miscellaneous); Doubleday, Page & Co. (Sets & Miscell.); Funk & Wagnalls (New Standard Dictionary — Literary Digest, New 10 vol "History of the World War." Self-help English books.) The Grolier Society (The Book of Knowledge) Grossett & Dunlap, (Popular fiction); Harper Bros. (Sets & Miscellaneous); Houghton, Mifflin & Co. (Miscellaneous); Laird & Lee, Inc., (Diaries); Little, Brown & Co., (Miscellaneous); J. B. Lippincott & Co., (Medical); McGraw-Hill Pub. Co. (Engineering); The Ronald Press, (Business) W. B. Saunders Co., (Medical); Chas. Scribner's & Sons, (Miscellaneous); F. A. Stokes Co. (Miscellaneous); — Chinese American Publishing Co., American Library Association — American Technical Society — Comstock Publishing Co. (Scientific) — Columbia University Press — Ginn & Co. — Gregg Publishing Co. (Shorthand) — D. C. Heath & Co. — The Macmillan Co. — Yale University Press — Edward Evans' Sons, Ltd. — American Book Company, New York — Denoyer-Geppert Co., Chicago (Maps) — G. & C. Merriam Co., Springfield — Macmillan & Co., London — The Macmillan Company, New York — The University of Chicago Press — The Mission Book Company
BOOKS, TECHNICAL & BUSINESS
International Library of Technology — Internat'l. Correspondence Schools
BOOTS & SHOES
Brown Shoe Co. — Willits & Patterson
F. Mayer Boot & Shoe Co.
The Menihan Co., — Edward Maurer Co., Inc.
BOTTLES, HOT WATER, METAL
Gillette Mfg. Co. — American Trading Co.
BUILDERS' HARDWARE
Chicago Spring Butt Co. (Spring Hinges)
United Specialties Mfg. Co. (Auto. Sash Adj.)
Yale & Towne Mfg. Co., — Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.
BUILDING MATERIALS
Wm. Morris & Co., Ltd. — Arnhold Brothers & Co., Ltd.
Truscon Steel Co. — American Trading Co.
BUILDINGS, SECTIONAL STEEL
Truscon Steel Co. — American Trading Co.
BUTTER
Heyman—Australian & Danish — Mustard & Co.
CALCULATING MACHINES
Harchants, Monroes, Millionaires — The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Rd.
CANDLES
Price's (China) Ltd. — Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.
CANVAS & TARPAULIN
Goodin Reid & Co., New York — China Mutual Trading Co.
CASH REGISTERS
National Cash Register Co. — American Trading Co.
CHECK PROTECTORS
The Protectograph & Check Writer — Technical Supply Co., 11e Nanking Rd.
CIGARS & CIGARETTES
Veloduna Cigars — British-American Tob. Co. (China) Ltd.
Kyriazi Freres, Cairo — Wallem & Co.
Helachrino: M. Melachrino & Co., Inc. — Tobacco Products Corporation
Naturals: Schinasi Bros. — Tobacco Products Corporation
CONFECTIONERY
Life Saver Mints — Willits & Patterson
CONVEYING MACHINERY
Brown Portable Elevator Co. — American Trading Co.
CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOLS
International Correspondence Schools — China Agency, 11e Nanking Rd.
CUTLERY
Wm. A. Rogers, Ltd., (Silverware) — Willits & Patterson
DIAMONDS AND JEWELLERY
A. Adler's Diamond Cutting Factory, Antwerp. — The Lazard-Godchaux Co.
DICTATING MACHINES
The Dictaphone Co. of America — Technical Supply Co. 11e Nanking Rd.
Ediphone Dictating Machines — The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Rd.
DISINFECTANTS
American Drug Co. — 42 Nanking Road
B. K. General Laboratories — American Trading Co.
Lifebuoy Royal Disinfectant Soap. — Lever Bros. (China) Ltd.
DISINFECTORS
American Sterilizer Co. — American Trading Co.
DRAPERIES, LINENS, ETC.
Catlin & Co., New York
Wm. Simpson Sons & Co., New York — Edward Maurer Co., Inc.
DRUGS & CHEMICALS
Allen & Hanburys, Ltd. — 40 Canton Rd.
American Drug Co. — 42 Nanking Road
Ralph L. Fuller & Co., New York — China Mutual Trading Co.
H. K. Mulford Co.
Rector Chemical Co. — American Trading Co.
Palatine Aniline & Chemical Corporation
Societe Anonyme de Couleurs D'Aniline and Produits Chemiques, Brussels — The Lazard-Godchaux Co.
National Aniline & Chem. Co., Inc.
The Shanghai Dispensary
DUPLICATING MACHINES
American Multigraph Co. — Technical Supply Co., 11e Nanking Rd.
Edison-Dick Mimeograph — Mustard & Co.
Ideal Stencil Machine Co. — Willits & Patterson
Ronco Duplicator & Copier — Andrews & George, 1 Foochow Rd.
Rotary & Modern Duplicators — The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Rd.
DYES
Ralph L. Fuller & Co., New York — China Mutual Trading Co.
Grasselli-Bayer — Sonn Brothers Co.
Palatine Aniline & Chemical Corporation Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
Societe Anonyme de Couleurs D'Aniline and Produits Chemiques, Brussels — The Lazard-Godchaux Co.
Society of Chemical Industry in Basle — J. Merian, 11 Av. Edouard VII.
Sunset Soap Dyes — American Trading Co.
Newport Chemical Works — Edward Maurer Co., Inc.
National Aniline & Chem. Co., Inc. — Hd. Office for China, 14 Canton Rd.
ELECTRICAL DEVICES.
Anylite Electric Co. (Dimmers) — China Investment & Trading Co.
Gani & Co., Ltd., (Electric Clocks) — Scott, Harding & Co.
ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES
British Insulated & Helsby Cables, Ltd. — Scott Harding & Co.
Duncan Electrical Co. — Edward Maurer Co., Inc.
Sangamo Electric Co.
Weston Electrical Instrument Co. — Ashida Engineering Co. Ltd.
Belden Mfg. Co. (Wires & Cables)
Luminous Unit Co. (Brascolite)
Hart & Hegeman Mfg. Co. (Wiring Devices)
Lux Mfg. Co. (Nitrogen Lamps)
Niagara Searchlight Co. (Flashlights) — China Investment & Trading Co., Inc. — Large Stocks—T.E.M.A.
ELECTRIC LT. & POWER PLTS.
Allis Chalmers Mfg. Co. — American Trading Co.
Marco Light — Edward Maurer Co., Inc.
Siemens Ltd., London. — China Mutual Trading Co.
Unilectric Corp. (Unit Electric Plants) — China Investment & Trading Co., Inc.
ENGINES, BOILERS, STEAM
Allis Chalmers Mfg. Co. — American Trading Co.
ENGINES, GAS & OIL
Nelson Bros. Co. — Edward Maurer Co., Inc.
Wolverine Marine Motors — American Trading Co. — Ruston—T. E. M. A. — Scripps—T. E. M. A. — Brons—T. E. M. A.
EXPANDED METAL
General Fireproofing Co. — Arnhold Brothers & Co., Ltd.
Truscon Steel Co. — American Trading Co.
FILTERS
Slack & Brownlow, Ltd. — Mustard & Co.
FIRE EXTINGUISHERS
Boyd Fire Extinguisher. — Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.
Fyre—Fyter Co. — Dodge & Seymour
Pyrene Mfg. Co. — Mustard & Co., Hollanda—T. E. M. A.
FLOOR PRESERVATIVES
Truscon Laboratories — American Trading Co.
GLASS
Hires Turner Glass Co. — China Investment & Trading Co., Inc.
Pilkington Bros., Ltd. — Scott Harding & Co
Emile Regnierrs & Co., Charlerol, Belgium. — The Lazard-Godchaux Co. — Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.
GRAMOPHONES
Cortina Languages Outfits — Chung Hwa Book Co., Ltd.
The New Edison Phonograph.
J. A. S. Alves, in Jinkee Rd.
HARDWARE
Russel & Irwin Mfg. Co., — China Investment & Trading Co., Inc.
Chicago Spring Butt Co. (Spring Hinges)
United Specialties Mfg. Co. (Auto. Sash Adj.)
Yale & Towne Mfg. Co. — Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd. — Edward Maurer Co., Inc. — Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.
HEATING DEVICES
D. Moore & Co., — American Trading Co.
Sonthard-Robertson Co. (Stoves), — Mustard & Company.
Theroz Stoves & Alcohol Fuel Cubes — Willits & Patterson.
INKS, PRINTING
Geo. H. Morrill Co., — American Trading Co.
INSTRUMENTS, SCIENTIFIC
Cambridge Scientific Instrument Co., — Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.
INSURANCE, ACC. & SICK.
Ocean Accident Insurance Co., — American Trading Co. — Commercial Union, 4 The Bund
INSURANCE, FIRE
Assicurazioni Generali — G. A. Bona, 44 Szechuen Rd.
Employers Liability Assurance Corp., Ltd., — Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.
Motor Union Insurance Co., Ltd., — Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.
Queen Insurance Co., — American Trading Co.
Scottish Union & National Ins. Co.,
Batavia Sea & Fire Ins. Co.,
Norwegian Atlas Ins. Co., — Rayner, Heusser & Co., Tel. 898.
Commercial Union, 4 The Bund
The Norwegian Lloyd Ins. Co., Ltd.
INSURANCE, LIFE
Commercial Union, 4 The Bund
INSURANCE, MARINE
Assicurazioni Generali, — G. A. Bona, 44 Szechuen Rd.
Batavia Sea & Fire Ins. Co., — Rayner, Heusser & Co., Tel. 898.
Employers Liability Assurance Corp., Ltd., — Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.
Phoenix Assurance Co., — American Trading Co. — Commercial Union, 4 The Bund — The Norwegian Lloyd Ins. Co., Ltd.
INSURANCE, MOTOR CAR.
Commercial Union, 4 The Bund
INSURANCE, MISCELLANEOUS
Commercial Union, 4 The Bund
IRON MERCHANTS
Edward Maurer Co., Inc.
LEATHER
Edward Maurer Co., Inc.
LEATHER SUBSTITUTE
Duponi's Fabrikoid, — Sonn Brothers Co.
LIFTS
Otis Elevator Co., — American Trading Co.
Smith, Major & Stevens, Ltd. — Scott Harding & Co.
LIGATURES & SUTURES.
American Drug Co. — 42 Nanking Road
Davis & Geck, — American Trading Co.
LOCKS
Yale & Towne Mfg. Co — Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.
MACHINE TOOLS
Edward Maurer Co., Inc. — Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.
MACHINERY, CEREAL MILLING
Allis Chalmers Mfg. Co., — American Trading Co.
Sprout Waldron & Co., — Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd. — Edward Maurer Co, — Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.
MACHINERY, CONCRETE
Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.
MACHINERY, ICE MAKING
York Mfg. Co., — American Trading Co. — Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.
MACHINERY, MINING
Ingersoll Rand Co., — American Trading Co.
MACHINERY, PAPER MAKING
Bagley & Sewall,
E. D. Jones & Sons Co., — American Trading Co. — Edward Maurer Co.
MACHINERY, REFRIGERATING
York Manufacturing Co., — American Trading Co. — Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.
MACHINERY- RICE
Engelburg Huller Co., — American Trading Co.
MACHINERY, TEXTILE
Baron & Hogarth, (Heralds & Reed) — J. Whitehead & Co., 9 Av. Edw. VII.
Chas. Cain's Son & Greenwood, — Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.
Gregson & Monk (Cotton, Silk, Wool) — J. Whitehead & Co., 9 Av. Edw. VII.
Geo. Keighley, Ltd., — Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.
Asa Lees & Co., Ltd., — Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.
Lupton Bros. Ltd., (Accessories, Cott. Mill) — J. Whitehead & Co., 9 Av. Edw. VII.
J.H. Riley & Co., Ltd. (Bleacher, Dyer, Finisher) — J. Whitehead & Co., 9 Av. Edw. VII. — Edward Maurer Co., Inc.
MACHINERY, TOBACCO
American Machine & Foundry Co., — Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.
United Cigarette Machine Co., — American Trading Co. — Edward Maurer Co., Inc. — Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.
MACHINERY, MISCELLANEOUS
Edward Maurer Co., Inc. — Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.
MACHINERY, WOODWORKING
Edward Maurer Co., Inc. — Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.
MEDICAL SUPPLIES
Allen & Hanburys, Ltd., — 40 Canton Road
American Drug Co. — 42 Nanking Road
Chesebrough Mfg. Co., — Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.
H. K. Mulford Co., — Davis & Geck, — Gillette Mfg. Co., — Rector Chemical Co., — American Trading Co.
MEDICINES
Society of Chemical Industry in Basle — J. Merian, 11 Av. Edward VII
Dr. D. Jayne & Son — Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.
MICROSCOPES
American Drug Co. — 42 Nanking Road
Bausch & Lomb Optical Co., — Edward Evans & Sons, Ltd.
MILK, TINNED
Bear Brand, — Andrews & George, 1 Foochow Rd.
MOTOR CARS
Humber, Ltd., — Scott Harding & Co.
Ford Cars & Trucks
Hudson Super-Six
Essex — Dodge & Seymour
MOTOR CAR SUPPLIES
Klaxon Horns, — Andrews & George, 1 Foochow Rd.
MOTORCYCLES & ACCESSORIES
Excelsior Motorcycle Co., — American Trading Co.
MOTOR TRUCKS
Bethlehem Trucks, — Edward Maurer Co., Inc. (Far Eastern Distributors) — Kissel—T. E. M. A.
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS
Estey Organ Co., — Edward Evans & Sons, Ltd.
OFFICE EQUIPMENT
Library Bureau, — Edward Evans & Sons, Ltd.
Shaw-Walker Steel Files, — Dodwell & Co., Ltd., 44a, Kiangse Rd.
Y. & E. Filing Systems — The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Rd.
Macey & Co.,
United States Steel Furniture Co., — American Trading Co.,
Art Metal Steel Furniture,
Burroughs Adding Machines,
Oliver Typewriters,
Rowco Duplicators & Copiers,
Reliable Safe & Lock Co.,
Victor Safe & Lock Co.,
Rebuilt Typewriters—All Makes,
Boston Pencil Sharpeners,
Venus Pencils,
Caribonnan Ribbons & Carbons, — Andrews & George, 1 Foochow Rd.
Remington Typewriters
Remington Ribbons & Carbon Paper.
Steel Equipment Co.,
A. B. Dick Mimeograph Co.,
Dalton Adding Machine Co.,
Chicago Mirror & Art Glass Co. — Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.
OPTICAL GOODS
American Optical Co., — National Optical Co., 69 Nanking Rd.
Standard Optical Co., — Technical Supply Co., 11e Nanking Rd.
PAINTS, VARNISHES, ETC.
Acme White Lead & Color Works. — Willits & Patterson
Boston Varn. Co., (Kyanize) — China Invest. & Trading Co., Inc.
Chas. H. Brown Paint Co. — Dodge & Seymour
Certain-teed Products Corporation
Truscon Laboratories, — American Trading Co.
Veluvine—T. E. M. A.
PAPER
Edison-Dick Impression Paper, — Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.
Impression and Manifold Papers — The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Rd.
Maurice O'Meara Co., — Edward Maurer Co., Inc.
Typewriter & Bonco Paper, — Andrews & George, 1 Foochow Road.
B. Dieden & Co., Ltd.
PENS & PENCILS
Moore's Fountain Pens,
Joseph Dixon Crucible Co., — American Trading Co.
PERFUMERY
Maison de Parfumerie — 40 Nanking Road
Vinolia Co., Ltd., Paris & London — Lever Bros. (China) Ltd.
PHARMACEUTICAL SUPPLIES
American Drug Co. — 42 Nanking Rd.
H. K. Mulford Co.,
Davis & Geck,
Rector Chemical Co., — American Trading Co.
PHOTO SUPPLIES
Rexo Cameras,
Burke & James — American Trading Co.
PIECE GOODS
Catlin & Co., New York.
Wm. Simpson Sons & Co., New York. — Edward Maurer Co., Inc. — Persian Commercial Co.
PRESSBOARD & INSULATING PAPER
Diamond State Fibre Co. — American Trading Co.
PRINTING SUPPLIES
Shanghai Press, Ltd.
PROJECTION LANTERNS
Bausch & Lomb Optical Co., — Movette, Inc., — Edward Evans & Sons, Ltd.
PULLEYS
The Chinese S. K. F. Co., Ltd.
PUMPING MACHINERY
W. H. Allen Son & Co., Ltd. — Scott Harding & Co.
Gwynne's Ltd., London. — China Mutual Trading Co. — Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.
RAILWAY MATERIALS
Liberty Steel Products Co., — New York. — P. S. Ericson Shanghai Manager — Astor House Hotel, Shanghai.
Ramapo Iron Works, — American Trading Co.
REFRIGERATORS
White Frost Refrigerator Co., — American Trading Co.
ROOFING MATERIALS
A. B. C. and Pagoda Roofing, — Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.
Carey Roofings, — China Invest. & Trading Co., Inc.
Weather-Compo } Certain-teed Products Corp.
Scout Roofings }
American Trading Co.
ROPE, STEEL
R.S. Newall & Son — Scott Harding & Co.
SAFES LOCKS & STR. RM. DOORS
Hatter Safe Co., Ltd. — Scott Harding & Co.
Safe-Cabinet Co. — Dodwell & Co., Ltd., 44a, Kiangse Rd.
York Safe & Lock Co. — Dodge & Seymour
T. & E. Record Safes — The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Rd.
Reliable Safes & Locks
Victor Safes & Locks, — Andrews & George, 1 Foochow Rd.
Herring Hall Marvin Safe Co.
Yale & Towne Mfg. Co., — Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd. — Lips—T. E. M. A.
SANITARY FITTINGS
Trenton Potteries Co. — China Invest. & Trading Co., Inc.
SHIPPING LINES
SS "Shawhsing" & "Upolu" — Jensien Transport Co.
P. & O. S. N. Co.
B. I. S. N. Co., Ltd.
Apcar Line
Eastern & Australia S. S. Co., Ltd. — Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co.
SKYLIGHTS
David Lupton Sons Co. — American Trading Co.
SOAP
Lever Bros., Ltd.
Vinolia Co., Ltd., Paris & London
Benjamin Brooke & Co., England
Hodgson & Simpson, Ltd.
R. S. Hudson, Ltd., England — Lever Bros. (China) Ltd.
STATIONERY
Crown Ribbon & Carbon Mfg. Co.
Whiting PaperCo. (Fine Stationery) — Chinese American Publishing Co.
STEEL PRODUCTS
Pacific Coast Steel Co. of San Francisco, Cal. — Shanghai Branch — United States Steel Products Co.
STEEL STRUCTURAL
Pacific Coast Steel Co. of San Francisco, Cal. — Shanghai Branch
Truscon Steel Co. — American Trading Co. — Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.
STEEL WINDOWS & DOORS
J. G. Wilson Corporation
Truscon Steel Co. — American Trading Co.
STERILIZERS
American Sterilizer Co. — American Trading Co.
STOVES-HEATING & COOKING
Southard-Robertson Co. — Mustard & Co.
D. Moore & Co. — American Trading Co.
SUGAR OF MILK
National Milk Sugar Co. — American Trading Co.
SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS
American Drug Co. — 42 Nanking Road
SURVEYING & DRAFTING INST.
Wm. Ainsworth & Sons Co. — Technical Supply Co., 11e Nanking Rd.
TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH APP.
Automatic Telephone Mfg. Co., Ltd. — Scott Harding & Co.
Federal Telephone & Telegraph Co. — China Invest. & Trading Co., Inc.
Relay Automatic Telephone Co., Ltd. Sanford — China Mutual Trading Co.
Stromberg Carlson Tel. Mfg. Co. — American Trading Co.
TILES
The Mosaic Tile Co., — American Trading Co.
TOILET REQUISITES
Maison de Parfumerie — 40 Nanking Road
Chesebrough Mfg. Co.,
Durham Duplex Razor Co.
Lanman & Kemp (Florida Water) — Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.
Vinolia Co., Ltd., Paris & London — Lever Bros. (China) Ltd.
Gillette Razors & Blades
Ponds Vanishing Cream
Ponds Extract
Ponds Cold Cream — Dodge & Seymour.
TOOLS
Edward Maurer Co., Inc. — Large Stocks—T. E. M. A.
TRUCKS, ELEVATING
The Barrett Cravens Co. (Multi-Truck) — Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.
TYPEWRITERS
Corona Typewriters — Dodge & Seymour
Remington Typewriters. — Mustard & Co.
Underwood Typewriter Co. — Dodwell & Co., Ltd., 44a, Kiangse Rd
Oliver Typewriters
Rebuilt Typewriters—All Makes — Andrews & George, 1 Foochow Rd.
Fox Baby Portable
National Portable
Rebuilt Typewriters-All Makes — The Office Appliance Co., 22 Nanking Rd.
TYRES
Miller Tires — Dodge & Seymour
Racine Tire Co. — Edward Maurer Co., Inc.
"VASELINE" PREPARATIONS
Chesebrough Mfg. Co., — Mustard & Co., 22 Museum Rd.
VENTILATING EQUIPMENT
Blackman Export Co. — Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.
B. F. Sturtevant Co. — American Trading Co.
WATCHES & CLOCKS
"Westclox" "Big Ben" etc. — Mustard & Co.
Wm. L. Gilbert Clock Co., — Edward Maurer Co., Inc.
Illinois Watch Co. — Ashida Engineering Co., Ltd.,
Waltham Watch Co. — American Trading Co.
WATERPROOFING PASTE
Trascon Laboratories — American Trading Co.
WATERWORKS SUPPLIES
Jewell Export Filter Co. — American Trading Co.
Pittsburgh Water Heater Co. (Auto. Elem.) — China Invest. & Trading Co., Inc.
WEIGHING MACHINES, SCALES
Buffalo Scale Co. — Edward Maurer Co., Inc.
Howe Scale Co. — Mustard & Co.
Knowles Scale Co. — Dodge & Seymour
Henry Pooley & Son Ltd., Birmingham. — China Mutual Trading Co.
Fairbanks—T. E. M. A.
N.B. Names of local agents and branches are shown in italics, the agencies they hold in bold type.
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'TWO AND THREE'

'Putting The Next One Over' With 'Bugs' Baer

FURS

Visitors to our unfair city are knocked bowlegged by the sight of all flappers and married ladies picking around expensive furs.

They are also struck pink by the sight of married gents wearing costly strings of pearls on their foreheads, which prove to be beads of perspiration on a second squint.

We mention flappers and matrons in one soda pop colored breath, because the married cuckoos are the Quartermaster Department for both.

Knock off an ankle excursion up Fifth Avenue or Broadway and every blonde, brunette and henna you lamp is a high-heeled mummy soaked to the ears in fur bandages. No frail considers herself official unless she is dolled up like a hatrack in a boarding house with all the boarders home. Adam never had to worry about any soprano haberdashery bills. His wife went around bald. But times have changed since the two prohibitionists got aboard the ark disguised as water bugs.

The old-fashioned spendthriftess who put all her worldly goods on her back must have presented a wonderful view from the front. She always tried to outshine the woman next door. She now has a daughter whose idea of a rival is the wax lady in the plate glass window. Trying to outdress a department store wax works is like trying to outshimmy a guy with the malaria. No wonder her husband is so roundshouldered that he can look into an ash barrel without bending his neck.

Furs are busting up a lot of happy stucco bungalows with garages attached. One sealskin coat starting in the end cottage will spread throughout the entire row like flies in huckleberry time.

While hubby is down in the cellar figuring the right way to drink wood alcohol, the wiff is downtown with a bankroll that belongs a block further east or west. She trades the B. R. for a genuine seal coat that used to meow when it was alive and walk fencetops like Blondin. Five hundred smackers for a near-beer fur coat with rent day coming on and landlords packing hearts as soft as the yolk of a doorknob.

Anything makes a fur coat these days. Hunters used to trap furs but now they sweep out barber shop floors or lasso wild hair-stuffed sofas of the 1870 period when sofas were a mile long engaged couples superstitious and fever blisters were supposed to be contagious.

There seems to be anything in a fur coat but fur. But the manufacturers are honest. They call a coat Mexican whimple and then explain that Mexican whimple is imitation measle fur with two relapses and dandruff trimmings. That is writing a letter and calling yourself a liar in the postscript.

No deception. No three shells and one little marble. Only one shell—and that's out. When they sell you a genuine Hudskin seal coatee, they tell you that Hudskin seal is Persian noodles mixed with shredded lamp wicks with a blotting paper filler. And a coatee isn't a coat. It's only the collar, but it will grow into a coat if it sheds in the right direction. Every time the wife brushes it she puts the combings into a cigar box with her switches. After three brushings she takes the combings back to the store and has 'em made into a Moleskunk dolman, which is a sort of empty potato sack with enough buttons on it to fill it.

Alaska butterskin is another favorite skin disease with the fashionable frails. This Weejee Board fur is plain oleomargerine skin which looks well at the first glance. Unfortunately, New York is an occult village in which the plebiscite of inhabitants is gifted with second sight.

Africa-beaverette is made of the coat and vest of a Kentucky mule or of the pelt of the Swiss bimbo, a wood-eating insect which preys on the eggs of carved cuckoos. Any fur is stylish for fur coats, provided that its name means something else. But the girls are happy, so why worry yourself into three or four aspirin tablets?

Everybody's prosperous, especially the Gypsies who used to trade mules and ride around in wagons. Now they skin the mules and ride around in stem-winding limousines.

S.V.C. Corps Orders

Corps Orders by Captain S. A. Ransom, Acting Commandant, S.V.C. headquarters, Town Hall, Shanghai, February 27, 1920.

No. 18. Leave: Long leave has been granted to Captain A. W. Dixon, March 15, 1920, to November 15, 1920.

No. 19. Resignation: The following resignation has been accepted by the Council with regret, and is published in the Municipal Gazette of February 19, 1920.

Italian Co: Lieut. C. Bedoni.

No. 20. Commissions: The following commissions have been approved by the Council and are published in the Municipal Gazette of February 19, 1920.

Shanghai Scottish: C-Sgt. W. A. Turnbull to be 2nd Lieut.

Maritime Co: Sergt. F. W. Snape to be 2nd Lieut.

No. 21. Barnes Cup Competition: This will be held in April exclusive of April 2 to 5 (Easter) and all Saturday afternoons. Units entering teams, will notify the Commandant the dates and hour when they wish to compete, at least one week before competing. The draw for teams will take place at the orderly room in the presence of unit commanders or their representatives, on the day of notification of their intention to compete.

No. 22. Corps Parade: Reference Corps Order No. 14 the field operations are cancelled. Units will parade at their mobilization headquarters (as modified by supplementary mobilisation orders dated January 9 1920), at 3:15 p.m.; if wet, posts will not be manned and patrols will not be sent out.

Football Today

England against Portugal, in senior division football, and the Rangers versus the Police, in the second league, are the only two games to be played this afternoon.

The International match, which is the final for the cup, is to be played on the Football Club's ground and the Police field will be the scene of the encounter between the Rangers and the Police. Both games are called for 2:45 p.m.

In the second league the Football Club was down to meet the St. Xaviers but through the inability of the latter Club to raise an eleven the game has had to be postponed to a later date.

England will take the field with the following line up: J. L. Wade; J. Quayle and H. G. Reed; G. Davis, P. Isherwood and W. J. Brown; W. Knight; T. S. D. Wade, D. Drake, W. Odgen, and G. F. Forshaw (Capt.)

The following will represent Portugal: A. G. Remedios; C. Encarnacao (Capt.) and H. Favacho; W. Favacho, V. Maher and N. Collaco; A. W. Gutierrez, G. Silva, F. Gutierrez, C. Passos and J. Gutierrez. Mr. Gabutt will referee the game.

The Rangers in their second league game will have out: Jacobs; Day and Henry; Wilson, Day and Johnson; Ratcliff, Nash, Rawsthorne (Capt.) and Atkinson.

Rowing Club Meeting To Be Held March 9

Dance At Gymnasium Is Announced For Evening Of March 11

The annual general meeting of members of the Shanghai Rowing Club will take place on March 9 several weeks earlier than usual. This advancing of the date will help to prepare for the Spring Regatta and the other activities of the club during the ensuing season, which from all reports promises to be a record one for rowing and aquatics generally.

Advantage has been taken of the lull during the winter months to put in a fine new floor in the boathouse, where the club's gymnasium was located. To celebrate the inauguration of the floor a dance is scheduled for March 11, tickets for which may be obtained from members of the Committee.

This function will be an innovation for the Rowing Club.

COMING! COMING!
"NAZIMOZA"

INDOOR SPORTS By Tad

OH MAC I'D LIKE YOU TO GET THESE LETTERS OFF RIGHT AWAY I WANT TO CATCH THOSE BOATS FOR JAMAICA TOMORROW
YES SIR
DEAR ME I WISH THE BOSS WOULD HURRY; I HAVE 10 LETTERS TO OUR BRANCH OFFICES THAT MAC MUST GET OFF TO DAY
LOOK AT POOR MAC - HE RANG UP HIS TWIST AND TWIRL AND DATED HER FOR 5.15 FOR EATS AND ITS 5 NOW.
HE'LL BE IN GOOD WITH HIS GIRL WONT HE - HE'LL STAND LIKE A GUY WITH A BROKEN LEG AS BILL MIZNER SAYS
SAY EDDIE - ASK MAC TO DASH OFF A DOZEN COPIES OF THESE RIGHT AWAY
INDOOR SPORTS
WATCHING THE REMINGTON ATHLETE WHO HAS AN EARLY DATE WITH HIS GIRL AS HE GETS A LOT OF WORK JUST WHEN HE WAS READY TO DO AN ARTHUR DUFFY
TAD

Jones Will Not Find Easy Road To British Golf Title

BY FRANCIS OUIMET

Now that Bobby Jones, of Atlanta, Ga., runner up to Dave Herron in the National championship, contemplates a trip to England for the purpose of making a try for the British amateur title, a few words about former attempts of American golfers to do the same thing will not be amiss. Especially is this so because the invasion of 1914 taught us a few cardinal points which will prove of value to any other Yankees seeking to duplicate the feat of Walter J. Travis.

In 1914 the writer was one of five American golfers who went to England for the British Amateur Championship. Ten years earlier Walter J. Travis, unannounced and unheralded, had dropped in for this event.

Before any Britisher realised what had happened Travis had sailed away with their title. But when Jerry Travers, Chick Evans, Herreshoff, Lockwood and I made the attempt in 1914 a far different result followed.

That year it was generally felt we had a splendid chance to repeat the victory of Travis. On paper we sized up equally with England's best. In fact when the tournament began Jerry Travers and Hilton stood as favorites, while Chick Evans and I were given much consideration.

Golfers know what a dismal showing was made. All of us, except Chick Evans, fell below our standards. Now there were reasons for this, and as time has given me the perspective to view them in an unprejudiced light, I am going to set them down in this article. I am convinced that they will bear an important part in all international matches of this character.

In the first place we were outnumbered. There were 260 odd entrants of better than ordinary class in that event, and of this number a dozen Britishers stood out above the rest in ability and record. That gave them the odds to start with; but what tended to clinch the affair was the fact that of the remainder there were many golfers capable of beating the best players now and then, men who could occasionally rise to great heights.

Now the chances of a small group of Yankees eating their way through such a field, no matter how brilliant or capable one or more of them were, were small, to say the least.

Another thing to favor the British was the uncertainty of the game itself. All sport is uncertain. If you want proof just recall the past football season. The favorites were beaten in nearly every big game and never was the gridiron season so full of upsets. The 1914 British Amateur Golf Championship was akin to it in this matter of uncertainty.

But I have always felt that the main reason for our poor showing at Sandwich in 1914 was our reaching England too soon. With the exception of Chick Evans—who made by far the best showing—every one of us had gone stale by the time of the event. We were overgolfed, to use an expression of the links.

Travers, Herreshoff and I reached England early in April and had nothing to do but play golf until the amateur title event the middle of May. Naturally we wanted to try the different links. As there was little else to do we just golfed ourselves out. Travers best summed up our whole attitude one day when he said, "It seems as if this event will never be played." We were tired, worn and sick of waiting when it was.

Evans was more fortunate as he arrived only two days before the tournament started. As a result he made by far the best showing, as he lasted four rounds and was then defeated only because the chap who put him out played the most brilliant streak of golf yet on record, going out in 31—a game that would have beaten anyone that day. Chick had arrived keen for play and eager to match his skill with the best of England.

It seems to me as I review all of our experiences that I'd like to see Bobby Jones adopt one of two plans if he follows his announced intention. He should either go to England and live there for about a year or get there as did Evans—a day or so in advance. Either of these courses will start him in the British Amateur full of enthusiasm—the most essential mood of all to produce one's best golf. Any other course seems likely to result disastrously.

Jones has the ability to give a wonderful account of himself even against the best England can offer, and I'd like to see him at his best should he make the try.

Shanghai Rifle Association

The seventh competition for the Benevolent Fund Shield, was held yesterday, at 7 a.m. Range 800 yards. One sighting and 15 scoring shots. There were 18 entries only 11 competed.

Following on the results:

Class	Names	Score	Allowance	Total	Points
B	H. W. Dawson	66	4	70	10
A1	H. T. Bradley	68	0	68	9
A1	R. I. Ito	67	0	67	8
B	G. Richardson	62	4	66	7
A1	W. T. Rose	65	0	65	6
A1	A. M. Collaco	63	0	63	5
B	K. D. Chen	59	4	63	4
B	F. G. Green	54	4	58	3
A1	C. E. M. Thomson	53	0	53	2
C	N. Noisshiki	42	6	48	1

Races At Kiangwan Today

The International Recreation Club will conclude the New Year race meeting with a program of ten race this afternoon at the Kiangwan Race Course. The first saddling bell will ring at 12.45 o'clock. The Shanghai-Woosung Railway will run special trains at 11.50 and 12.15 o'clock, the local garages will maintain the usual passenger services. Tiffin and refreshments will be served.

The program this afternoon follow:

1—The Griffin Steeplechase Cup About two miles.
2—The Holiday Plate one mile.
3—The Sub-Griffins Handicap one mile
4—The Off Chance Cup seven furlongs.
5—The Nursery Handicap one mile and a quarter.
6—The I. R. C. Steeplechase Cup two miles and a half.
7—The Moderate Plate nine furlongs.
8—The Welcome Plate three quarters of a mile.
9—The New Year Handicap one mile and a quarter.
10—The Mafoos Race one mile and a half.

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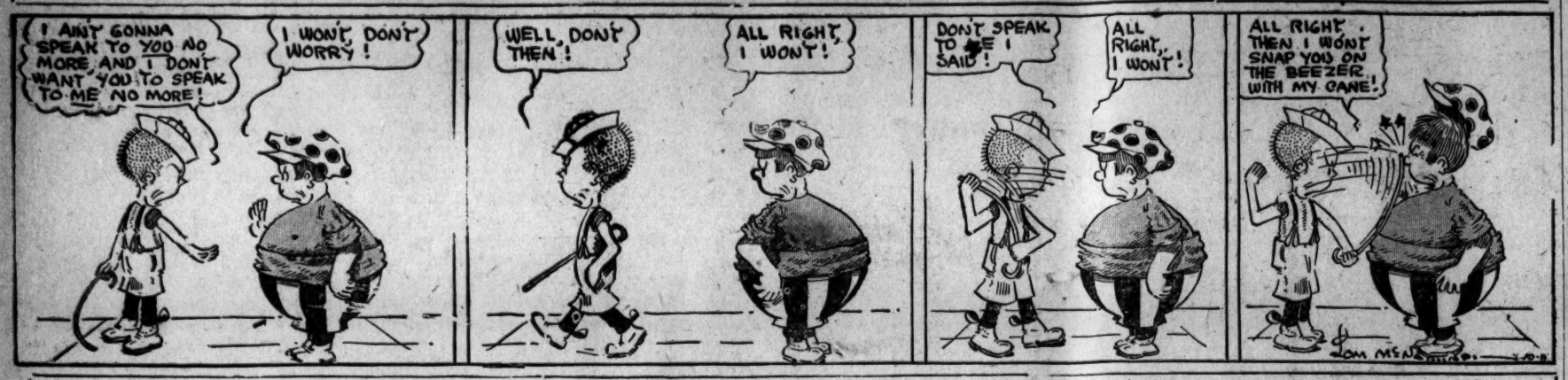
I AINT GONNA SPEAK TO YOU NO MORE AND I DONT WANT YOU TO SPEAK TO ME NO MORE!
I WONT, DONT WORRY!
WELL, DONT THEN!
ALL RIGHT, I WONT!
DONT SPEAK TO ME I SAID!
ALL RIGHT, I WONT!
ALL RIGHT, THEN I WONT SNAP YOU ON THE BEEZER WITH MY CANE!

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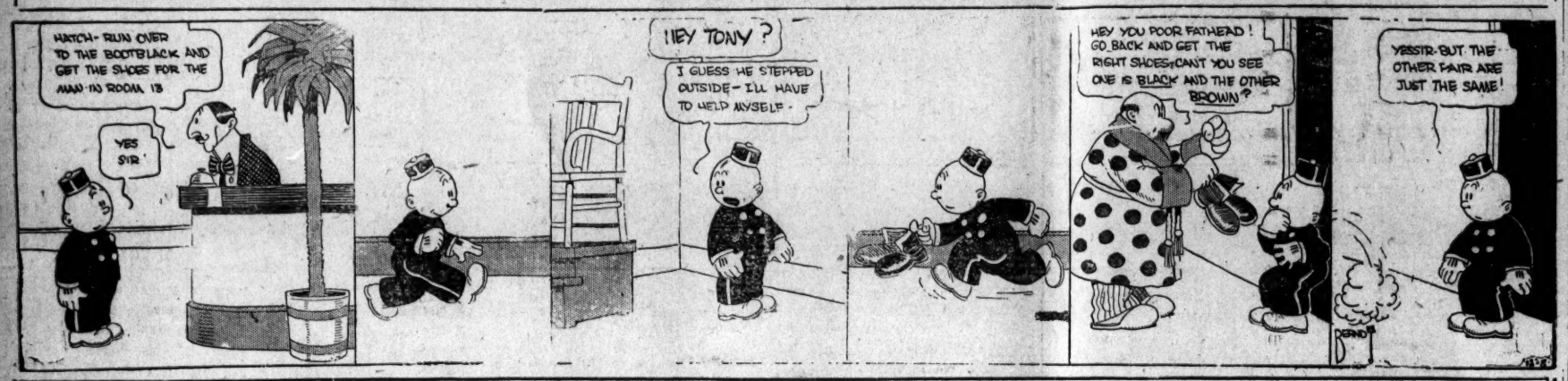
HATCH- RUN OVER TO THE BOOTBLACK AND GET THE SHOES FOR THE MAN IN ROOM 13
YES SIR
!HEY TONY?
I GUESS HE STEPPED OUTSIDE- I'LL HAVE TO HELP MYSELF.
HEY YOU POOR FATHEAD! GO BACK AND GET THE RIGHT SHOES, CANT YOU SEE ONE IS BLACK AND THE OTHER BROWN?
YESSIR- BUT THE OTHER PAIR ARE JUST THE SAME!

OVER HERE! — By Callahan

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BROWN DERBY.
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YOU'RE NOT A MOP SALESMAN, YOU'RE A MOPE SALESMAN.
HE'LL PAY MOM MOP-BOARD BOARD NOW.
HE LOOKS MORE LIKE A MOP OPERATOR.
OLAMYH JAKE
I KNOW HE WON'T SELL A SINGLE ONE.
NOR A MARRIED ONE EITHER.
YOUNG NUISANCE HAS AN IDEA THAT UIOLA THE CAT IS A MOP, BUT UIOLA DOESN'T ENTERTAIN IT.
AS A MOP SALESMAN I'LL SAY, HE'S ALL WET. "DRY" COMEDY.
GRANDPA HAS A MOP ON HIS CHIN.
THAT'S NICE.
MY DEAREST WILL NEVER HAVE TO PUSH A MOP AS LONG AS HER SUGAR PLUM CAN PREVENT IT.
MOPPETS
"HON" AND "DEARIE"
I SHOULD IMAGINE, DOPEY, THAT A SALESMAN SHOULD CLEAN UP, WHO HANDLES MOPS.
"COMEDIAN"
MOP TO HATTIE MEANS MONEY OFF POP FOR A NEW BONNET.
TAKE THAT GAG TO THE BARBER'S AND HAVE IT SHAVED.
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RETURN OF SANITY TO PACIFY WORLD, IS PLEA OF EBERT

False Propaganda Is Still Doing Much To Cause Distrust Of Germany, He Says

Berlin, January 13.—Friedrich Ebert, President of the Republic of Germany, in an exclusive signed statement for Universal Service, today gave his views on the historic occasion of the Treaty of Versailles coming into force. In it he appealed to the press of the world to cease disseminating distrust, suspicion and hostility, and to help instead to make the world safe for enduring peace.

"With all my heart I welcome the final advent of peace, so long expected and so long delayed. Though it is not a peace upon the terms by which, just two years ago almost to the day, President Wilson set the hearts of enlightened men and women everywhere ablaze, it is at least a formal cessation of the state of war which will help men of good will on both sides, and which may turn into real world peace in the course of time.

RETURN OF SANITY

"In this sense, this day ought to be the dawn of a period of regeneration and the return of sanity for a world disorganised and demoralised through the long orgy of destruction and lawlessness. It should be a solemn reminder that organised murder must never happen again, and that in-so-far as the present peace settlement fails to satisfy the just claims of nations it must be revised by other means than the destruction of human lives, and with other arguments than guns and battleships.

"It should be the inauguration of a long era of co-operation among nations whose close interdependence has never been so evident as in those terrible days of universal ruin and misery.

"It will be a matter of the deepest regret for many people that the state of peace proclaimed does not include either the United States or Russia. I sincerely hope that the day when those countries also will re-enter into peaceful relations with Germany and, as far as Russia is concerned, with the rest of the world, may be near at hand.

"After the cataclysm through which the world has gone, the new international conditions cannot be fixed to a nicety beforehand. It seems wise in the present state of threatening dissolution, first to re-establish a state of peace throughout the world and leave the arrangements of the details of international relations to common council at a later date.

"To Germany the coming into force of the peace treaty brings no material advantage of any kind, save the long desired return of her thousands of sons held unduly long in foreign captivity. For her this day means the setting into motion of an endless chain of obligations of the heaviest kind, including the unspeakably painful surrender of large areas inhabited purely or preponderately by German populations to foreign sovereignties.

"We refuse to be down-hearted. In resuming diplomatic and commercial relations with our former enemies we hope that they will give a chance to the new Germany, whose present Government, supported by the vast majority of the people, has no desire but to live in peace with the rest of the world.

PAPERS ASKED TO AID

"I trust that in this desire we may be aided by the responsible press organisations in all countries. The world knows how much in the past erroneous, and even deliberately false, newspaper reports have intensified the existing rivalries and actual hostility.

"I see that even now false reports of an alleged desire of Germany for commercial world supremacy are being circulated among an uninformed public in order to keep up suspicion and distrust against Germany.

"I, therefore, beg leave to appeal to the responsible newspaper men in all countries to leave the war of journalism aside and do their part to make this world safe for peace, good will, and co-operation."

VESSELS IN HARBOR AND AT WOOSUNG

Date		From	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
Dec.	2	— Japan	Taiho Maru	Jap.	
Dec.	2	—	Meichuen	Am.	Socony
Dec.	4	— River ports	Lingyun	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Dec.	6	— Chinwangtao	Indigirka		
Dec.	16	— Hankow	Meitan	Am.	Socony.
Dec.	20	—	Chinchong	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Dec.	25	—	Kanling	Chi.	
Dec.	25	—	Newchow		
Dec.	31	—	Hungfok	Chi.	
Jan.	10	—	Toonan	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Jan.	15	—	Meihu	Am.	Socony.
Jan.	16	— Foochow	Feiching	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Jan.	21	— Japan	Kifune Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
Jan.	24	—	Saintan		
Feb.	3	— Japan	Orestes	Br.	B. & S.
Feb.	5	— Cruise	Store Nordiske	Dan.	G.N.T. Co.
Feb.	7	— Amoy	Irene	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
Feb.	8	— Dairen	Georgi	Rus.	R. V. F.
Feb.	10	— Japan	Hwahping	Chi.	W. O. & Co.
Feb.	11	— Tsingtau	Prometheus	Br.	B. & S.
Feb.	11	— Chefoo	Kingsing	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Feb.	15	— Japan	Easterling	Am.	A. Line
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Feb.	15	— Japan	Ct. Mages	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Feb.	15	— River ports	Tahchuen	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Feb.	15	— River ports	Yohyang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Feb.	16	— Swatow	Tungwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb.	18	— Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
Feb.	18	— Seattle	West Ivis	Am.	S. & Dix.
Feb.	18	— Hongkong	Moorish Prince	Br.	Dod. & Co.
Feb.	18	— Wenchow	Haean	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb.	18	— Foochow	Mingshun	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Feb.	18	— River ports	Kiangfoo	Chi.	C.M.S.N Co.
Feb.	19	— Chinwangtao	Weishun	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Feb.	19	— Cruise	Pingching	Chi.	Customs
Feb.	20	— Liverpool, etc.	Dania	Br.	B. & S.
Feb.	20	— Chinwangtao	Hero	Br.	K.M.A.
Feb.	20	— Wenchow	Kwangchi	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb.	20	—	Tungshing	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Feb.	21	—	Surachi Maru	Jap.	
Feb.	21	—	Shinan Maru	Jap.	F. & Co.
Feb.	21	—	West Kader	Am.	A. Line.
Feb.	21	— Tientsin	Wosang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Feb.	22	— Cruise	Pacific	Dan.	G.N.T. Co.
Feb.	22	— River ports	Tuckwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Feb.	22	— Hankow	Hanping	Chi.	H. Y. P.
Feb.	22	— Dalny	Wanli	Chi.	W. & Co.
Feb.	22	—	Bri. Isles	Br.	
Feb.	23	— Foochow	Suma Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
Feb.	23	— Hankow	Yenoura Maru	Jap.	M.S.K.
Feb.	23	— New York, etc.	Cape May	Am.	A Line
Feb.	23	— River ports	Changon	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Feb.	23	— Japan	Toyohashi Maru	Jap.	
Feb.	24	— Japan	Sakurajima M.	Jap.	M.B.K.
Feb.	24	— River ports	Woosung	Br.	B. & S.
Feb.	24	— River ports	Fengyang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Feb.	25	— Japan	Sakawa Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
Feb.	25	— Japan	Yawata Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Feb.	25	— River Ports	Tachi Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
Feb.	25	— Hongkong	Kweilin	Br.	B. & S.
Feb.	26	— San Francisco, etc.	Nile	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
Feb.	26	— Swatow	Yushun	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb.	27	— Japan	England Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
Feb.	27	— Japan	Mikawa Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
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American Minister Vopicka cables from Bucharest, Rumania, that it is useless for American commercial interests to send their representatives in Rumania to transact business unless they are in a position to sell their goods on a credit of from three to five years. The low exchange of currency makes it impossible for the Rumanian business men to purchase goods for cash.

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By order,
Y. S. DAY,
Secretary.
28125

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned on the 22nd day of February, 1920, entered into an Agreement witnessed by Messrs. White-Cooper, Master and Harris and sold the Japanese owned Shanghai Paper Mill at Pootung (浦東參章紙廠) including buildings, paper making plant, &c., to Mr. Liu Pah Sun of the Pao Yuen Paper Mill. After the sale Mr. Liu shall be at liberty to enter possession, change the name and trade-marks and carry on the business.

All claims and debts due to or by as well as any complications with the Shanghai Paper Mill at Pootung shall be settled by the Shanghai Paper Mill and shall not concern the Pao Yuen Paper Mill.

Shanghai Paper Mill, Pootung.
(浦東日商參章紙廠)
28137

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned on the 22nd day of February, 1920, entered into an Agreement witnessed by Messrs. White-Cooper, Master and Harris and purchased the Japanese owned Shanghai Paper Mill at Pootung (浦東參章紙廠) including buildings, paper making plant, &c., and that the Mill will be changed into the Pao Yuen Paper Mill (寶源紙廠) which will be carried on entirely by Chinese and trade-marks will accordingly be changed.

An application will be made to the Ministry of Agriculture and Commerce through the Shanghai District Magistrate to register the concern. All claims and debts due to or by as well as any complications with the Shanghai Paper Mill, Pootung, shall be settled by the Shanghai Paper Mill and shall not concern the Pao Yuen Mill.

Liu Pah Sun, Pao Yuen Paper Mill, Shanghai.
(寶源紙廠劉柏森)
28136

Andrews and George

require suitable office accommodation immediately or at an early date, and will be glad to receive particulars of anything available.

Telephone Central 454.
1 Foochow Road.
28061

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER

ASTOR HOUSE HOTEL
28113

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Cymrodorion Shanghai

Cynhelir Cyfarfod Cymrodorion Shanghai a'r noson Dydd Gwyl Dewi Sant (Mawth 1af) Yn Neuadd Egiwys yr Undeb, Heol Swchaw am haner awr wedi wyth.

Estynir gwahoddiad cynhesaf i bob Cymro a Chymraes i fod yn bresenol.

Croesaw caredig i pawb.

THE QUEST SOCIETY'S

next meeting is to take place at 5.30 p.m., this coming Monday, 1st March, in the Royal Asiatic Society's Hall, Museum Road, when MR. H. CHATLEY will open a discussion on:—

WEALTH.

Can Power be distributed in Proportion to Social Service?

MR. A. J. HUGHES in the Chair.

Visitors and discussion cordially invited.
28128

The Shanghai Exploration And Development Co., Ltd.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given that the First Annual Meeting of Shareholders will be held in the Board Room of the China Mutual Life Insurance Company, Limited, 10 Canton Road, on Monday, the 15th March, 1920, at 4 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December 1919.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 8th to the 15th of March, 1920, both days inclusive.

By Order Of The Directors,
GEORGE McBAIN,
General Agents.
Shanghai, 28th February, 1920.
28135

SNR & SHNR.

Collect On Delivery Parcels System.

On and from January 21st 1920, a "Collect on Delivery" system for parcels has been put into operation for local traffic (perishable excepted) between the following stations:—

Shanghai-Nanking Line.

Shanghai North, Soochow, Wusih, Changchow, Tanyang, Chinkiang and Nanking.

Shanghai-Hangchow-Ningpo Line.

Shanghai South, Jessfield, Sicawei, Sungkiang, Kashai, Kashing, Yehzah, Changan, Konzenchiao, Hangchow, Nanshinchiao and Zahkou.

This system of "Shopping at a Distance" should prove of great convenience to customers not residing within convenient reach of the larger stores, and the arrangement will no doubt be increasingly taken advantage of as it becomes more widely known.

The procedure briefly is: the tender signs a declaration of the contents and value of each parcel when presenting it to the Railway for despatch—maximum weight and value 50 catties and $200.00 respectively—and pays the freight, plus commission of one cent for each dollar declared and obtains a certificate from the despatching station.

Immediately on arrival of the "C. O. D." parcel, the receiving station shall advice the consignee of same and request him to take delivery within seven days by payment of the amount specified. When the amount has been paid by the consignee, the receiving station will immediately inform the despatching station; so that they may notify the consignor calling for payment as they declared.

Should the parcel not be taken delivery of by the consignee upon being notified but should the consignee subsequently accept the parcel he will be debited with storage charges at the rate of ten cents per day, after the expiration of the seven days allowed free.

Further information may be obtained on application to

The Traffic Manager,
S. N. R. & S. H. N. R.
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28118

A Open Letter

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Owing to the fact that strictly first-class Scotch Whiskies are obtainable in limited quantities only, we have decided to reserve "Sandy Macdonald" (Sandy Mac) 10 Year Old Scotch Whisky for FOREIGN TRADE ONLY.

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NOTICE

S.S. "Montague" from Portland

An examination of broken and ship-damaged cargo will be held at the China Merchant's Lower Wharf on Saturday, February 28th, at 10 a.m., when the Marine Surveyors, Messrs. Paulsen & Bayes-Davy, will be in attendance.

THE ADMIRAL LINE
Agents.
28110

NOTICE

S.S. "Cape May" from New York

An examination of broken and ship-damaged cargo will be held at the China Merchant's Central Wharf on Monday, March 1st, at 10 a.m., when the Marine Surveyors, Messrs. Paulsen & Bayes-Davy, will be in attendance.

THE ADMIRAL LINE
Agents.
28111

NOTICE

S.S. "Cross Keys" from Seattle

An examination of broken and ship-damaged cargo will be held at the China Merchant's Eastern Wharf on Tuesday, March 2nd, at 10 a.m., when the Marine Surveyors, Messrs. Paulsen & Bayes-Davy, will be in attendance.

THE ADMIRAL LINE
Agents.
28112

THE CHINA IMPORT & EXPORT LUMBER COMPANY, LTD.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of Article 4 (1) of the China (Companies) Amendment Order in Council 1919, MR. CARL LUDWIG SEITZ has resigned his position of and will cease to act as the General Agent and Manager of the Company as from the 28th of February, 1920, and that in consequence thereof the Power of Attorney dated the 26th July, 1909, granted by the Company to the said Carl Ludwig Seitz has been revoked as from the said date AND NOTICE is hereby further given that the Company has appointed MESSRS. ARNHOLD BROTHERS & COMPANY, LIMITED, the Attorneys and General Agents and Managers of the Company who will act as such on and from the 1st March, 1920, until further notice.

By order of the Board of Directors,
C. L. SEITZ,
General Agent & Manager
The China Import & Export Lumber Co., Ltd.
Shanghai, 16th February, 1920.
27959

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27951 M.2

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Shanghai Race Club

NOTICE

The following are the race fixtures for 1920:—

SPRING RACE MEETING—Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday, the 3rd, 4th, 5th and 8th May.

AUTUMN RACE MEETING—Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday, the 8th, 9th, 10th and 13th November.

EXTRA RACE MEETING—

1st—Saturday, 20th or 27th Mar.
2nd— „ 10th April.
3rd— „ 17th April.
4th— „ 2nd October.
5th— „ 9th October.
6th— „ 20th November.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary, Shanghai Race Club.
28048

Shanghai Race Club

SPRING RACE MEETING, 1920.

The Training Season for the Spring Race Meeting (3rd, 4th, 5th and 8th May) will commence on Monday, 1st March, 1920, when the training (inner) course will be reserved for Members only, until 8 a.m. daily.

The Loong-Fei Entrance to the Public Recreation Ground will be closed and the Race Club's Entrance will be available for pedestrians only during training hours.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary, Shanghai Race Club.
28049

Shanghai Race Club

NOTICE

Members desiring Licences for Trainers, head-mafoos and/or riding boys for the half-year ending 31st August, 1920, also stable accommodation for their ponies in the Mohawk Road Stables (under monthly leases only) are requested to forward their applications to the undersigned before 6 p.m. on Saturday, 28th inst.

Application forms are obtainable at the Grand Stand or on application to the undersigned.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary, Shanghai Race Club.
27995

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(Registered at the Chinese Ministry of Commerce)

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FU TSAI CHEN,
Manager.
LO CHI TUNG,
Assistant Manager.
28114

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28102

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28097 F. 28

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WANTED, experienced accountant. Must be able to take entire charge of accounts for growing concern; excellent opportunity. American preferred. Answer in own handwriting. Apply to Box 113, THE CHINA PRESS.
28104 M. 3

WANTED: Thoroughly experienced bookkeeper wanted in local American import and export house. Must have had experience in these lines and be able to take entire charge of books and handle office details. Apply by letter, giving full particulars regarding yourself and your past experience, also salary desired. This position offers good future for the proper man. Apply to Box 105, THE CHINA PRESS.
28083

WANTED, an experienced Customs clerk to take full charge of Customs work for large import and export firm. References required. Apply to Box 109, THE CHINA PRESS.
28093 F. 29

EXPERIENCED Chinese typist now required by Salt Department for work in Yunnan Office. Candidate must have received thorough training. Good position offered. Address written application, stating references, to local District Inspector, No. 11 Markham Road.
28089 F. 28

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28069 F.27

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28065 F.28

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28133 M. 10

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28131

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28130 M. 2

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28080

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28079 F. 28

TUITION wanted in Shanghai dialect of Chinese by pupil who at present speaks Northern language. State terms to Box No. 115, THE CHINA PRESS.
28108 F. 29.

APARTMENTS WANTED

WANTED by married couple, one or two rooms, with or without board, in Central district, furnished or unfurnished. No children. Apply to Box 116, THE CHINA PRESS.
28115 F. 29.

TWO BACHELORS, American, desire furnished flat without board; central district preferred. Apply to Box 76, THE CHINA PRESS.
28023 F. 28

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28121 F. 29

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28099 M. 3

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28086 F. 28

SITUATIONS WANTED

POSITION WANTED by young Chinese, having excellent knowledge of English. Many years' experience in translation, correspondence and typewriting. Knows office routine very well. Good references. Outport no objection. Address 125 Cunningham Road.
28124 F. 29

CHINESE office assistant, good knowledge of English, Customs, bookkeeping, translation, typewriting and general office work, desires position. Please Apply to Box 121, THE CHINA PRESS.
28120 F. 29

WANTED, by young foreigner, position as clerk. Has had experience in bookkeeping, insurance, typing and general office routine. Speaks and writes several languages. Good references. Apply to Box 114, THE CHINA PRESS.
28106 F. 29.

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28116 F. 29

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28067 F.29

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28094 F. 28

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28078 F. 28

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28013

HOUSES WANTED

WANTED, four-roomed house or flat, furnished or unfurnished, either in French concession or central district. Willing to take over furnishings, if necessary, at reasonable price. Beginning 1st of May or June. Apply to Box 123, THE CHINA PRESS.
28129 F. 29

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28077

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Manager.

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Reserve Fund ...	$1,298,522.60
Special Reserve Fund	$1,898,958.68

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SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.
Shanghai, 15th February, 1919.

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Societe Anonyme
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Reserves	£481,000

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BANK OF COMMUNICATIONS

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Capital: Kuping Taels 10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Over 60 Branches and Agencies at principal cities and commercial centers in China.

Agencies abroad; Singapore, Hongkong, Tokyo (Japan).

SHANGHAI BRANCH
14 The Bund.

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; Credit granted to approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Y. M. CHIEN Acting Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Paid-Up Capital ...	$1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$91,847.41

Head Office: Shanghai
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
Tels: Managers' Office: Cen. 2650
General Office: Cen. 2613 & 2614
Branches:
Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS
London, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka.

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, Sterling and Yen according to arrangement.

Interest allowed on Deposits at Call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.

Credit granted on approved securities.

Savings accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes For Rent.

SHEN CHU HSU, Manager.
SHU CHIN MIN, Sub-Manager.
C. C. YANG, Sub-Manager.

International Banking Corporation

OWNED BY
THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK,

Capital & Surplus U.S.	$10,000,000
Undivided Profits U.S.	$450,000

Head Office:
National City Bank Building,
55 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
London Office: 36 Bishopsgate E.C.
Lyons Office: 27 Place Tolozan
San Francisco Office:
232 Montgomery Street

Branches:

China	Philippines
Shanghai	Manila
Peking	Cebu
Tientsin	
Tsingtau	Straits Settlements
Hankow	Singapore
Hongkong	
Canton	Dominican Republic
Manchuria	Santo Domingo
Harbin	San Pedro de Macoris
India	Sanchez
Bombay	Santiago
Calcutta	Puerto Plata
Rangoon	
Japan	Panama
Yokohama	Panama
Kobe	Colon
Java	
Batavia	
Soerabaya	

BRANCHES OF
THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK

Argentina	Uruguay
Buenos Aires	Montevideo
Once (Buenos Aires)	Venezuela
Rosario	Caracas
Belgium	Maracaibo
Antwerp	Siberia
Brussels	Vladivostok
Spain	Italy
Madrid	Genoa
Barcelona	
Brazil	Porto Rico
Bahia	San Juan
Pernambuco	Colombia
Porto Alegre	Medellin
Rio de Janeiro	
Santos	Russia
Sao Paulo	Moscow
	Petrograd
Chile	
Santiago	Trinidad
Valparaiso	Port of Spain

Branches in Havana and 21 of the principal cities of Cuba.

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

H. C. GULLAND, *Manager.*
1a Kiukiang Road.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital ...	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.

On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. G. MARSHALL.
Chief Manager.

中 華 銀 行 Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917.)
Statutes approved by the Government in 1916.
Head Office: Tientsin

Subscribed Capital ..	$2,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	$1,020,000
Reserve Fund	$ 54,000

Managing Director:
T. CLARENCE SUN
Deputy Managing Director:
NIEH CHI-WEI

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinkiang	Ichang
Shanghai	Soochow	Changsha
Peking	Wusieh	Shansi
Hankow	Hangchow	Wuhu
Nanking	Ningpo	London
Yangchow	Shaosking	New York
Hsuchow	Canton	S. Francisco
Pengpu	Hongkong	Boston
Changchun	Changteh	Tokio
Antung	Chengchow	Kobe
Kiukiang	TsinkiangpuYokohama	Osaka

And also other principal cities in foreign countries.

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
S. 441 Ningpo Road.
Tel. Central 1929 Managers' Office
Tel. Central 2618 General Office.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Account and Fixed Deposits both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. R. SUN, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY.)
Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital:	Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds:	Guilders 14,590,545 (about £1,215,879)
Special Reserves:	Guilders 17,000,000 (about £1,416,666)

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM.

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Penang
Bandoeng	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Soerakarta
Langsa	Tebing-Tinggi
Makassar	Tegal
Medan	Telok-Betoe
Padang	Tjilatjap
Palombang	Weltevreden
Pekalongan	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells, and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

SHANGHAI INTEREST ALLOWED on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

B. G. J. WYNBERG.

The
Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1908.

Capital	$1,000,000
Reserve Fund	$50,000

Head Office, Branches & Agencies.
Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimon, Lanchi.

Agencies at the principal Cities throughout China.

Foreign Agencies:—London, New York, Tokio, Yokohama, Osaka, Kobe, Hakodata, Seoul and Fusan.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
U 39 Peking Road.
Tel. No. C. 3145, Manager's Office.
Tel. No. C. 2147, General Office.

Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.

Interest allowed on Current and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, Gold Dollars and Yen according to arrangements.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Safe Deposit Boxes for rent on application.

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT
4% Compound Interest allowed on Savings Current Deposits.

Interest allowed on Savings Fixed Deposits according to arrangements.

Cheque-books or Savings Pass-books at Depositor's disposal.

LI MING, *Manager.*
CHEN SIN TSENG, *Sub-manager.*
ZAI MOH ZUNG, *Sub-manager.*

THE BANK OF CANTON, LIMITED.

Incorporated 1912

Capital (fully paid)	H.$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund...	H.$ 400,000.00
Investment reserve fund ...	H.$ 40,000.00

Head Office
No. 6 Des Voeux Road, Hongkong

Shanghai Office
No. 2 Ningpo Road

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES

Canton	Bangkok	S. Francisco
Batavia	Bombay	Colombo
New York	Manila	Samarang
London	Singapore	Calcutta
Honolulu	Rangoon	Yokohama
Sourabaya	Canada, etc.	

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

C. C. WONG,
Act. Manager.

The Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.

Subscribed Capital ..	£1,500,000
Paid up Capital	750,000
Reserve Fund	700,000

HEAD OFFICE, 15 Gracechurch Street, LONDON, E. C.

London Bankers:
London Joint City and Midland Bank, Ltd.

Branches & Agencies.

Bombay	Howrah	Madras
Calcutta	Handy	Penang
Colombo	Karachi	Port Louis
Delhi	Kota Bahru	(Mauritius)
Galle	(Kelantan)	Rangoon
Hongkong	Kuala Lumpur	Shanghai
	Singapore	

Shanghai Branch.

EVERY description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Teal Current Accounts at 2 % per annum and Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained on application.

C. T. BEATH Manager.
28 The Bund.

Asia Banking Corporation

CAPITAL $4,000,000 SURPLUS $1,100,000
An American Bank
Cable: BANKASIA Tel. S'hai C. 1825

Head Office: New York City
Head Office for the Far East: Shanghai
Corner Kiukiang and Kiangse Roads

Other Branch Offices:
CANTON, CHANGSHA, HANKOW, HONGKONG, MANILA, PEKING AND TIENTSIN

ANNOUNCEMENT

By appointment of the Italian Treasury the Asia Banking Corporation has official charge of the placing of the sixth Consolidated Italian Government 5 percent Loan (1920) in China.

The subscription list will be open until March 10th for the sale of Bonds with coupons to the 31st December, 1920, attached. The Bonds are in denomination of Lire 100, and the issuing price will be Lire 87.50 plus interest from January 1st to the day of payment. The Italian Chamber of Commerce are working in close co-operation with this bank on this proposition.

On account of the present favourable rate of exchange, these Bonds offer an attractive investment.

STOCKHOLDING BANKS
Anglo and London, Paris National Bank, San Francisco
Bankers' Trust Company, New York City
Continental & Commercial National Bank, Chicago, Ill.
First National Bank of Portland, Oregon
Guaranty Trust Company of New York
Guardian Savings & Trust Company, Cleveland, Ohio
Mercantile Bank of the Americas, New York City
National Bank of Commerce, Seattle, Washington
National Shawmut Bank, Boston, Mass.

PARK-UNION

FOREIGN BANKING CORPORATION

HEAD OFFICE: 56 Wall Street, New York

Fully Paid Capital and Surplus $2,250,000

OWNED AND CONTROLLED BY
The National Park Bank, New York Union Park of Canada

DIRECTORS:

Richard Delafield	H. B. Shaw
Stuyvesant Fish	R. O. McCulloch
Gilbert G. Thorne	Stanley E. Elkin
Cornelius Vanderbilt	Stephen Haas
R. H. Williams	F. E. Kenaston
E. C. Hoyt	W. J. Dawson
A. P. Villa	F. L. Appleby
Sir Wm. Price	T. Fred Aspden

Charles A. Holder, President

BRANCHES:

SAN FRANCISCO		SEATTLE
PARIS	TOKYO	YOKOHAMA

SHANGHAI BRANCH:
No. 1 KIUKIANG ROAD
TELEPHONE CENTRAL 1174

THE SHANGHAI COMMERCIAL & SAVINGS BANK LTD.

AS a customer of this institution, you are entitled to the best business advice, all the facilities, and convenience of the Bank.

WE shall be pleased to meet you personally, and render you every possible assistance.

YOUR business is solicited with a pledge that it will be handled with accuracy, promptness and courtesy.

Cable Address: "COMSAVBANK"
K. P. Chen, General Manager.

Shipping Items

The I-C. s.s. Hwahlee (chartered) left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The C.N. s.s. Tungting left Hankow for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The I-C. s.s. Chipshing left Hongkong for Weihaiwei, Chefoo and Tientsin on Wednesday.

The I-C. s.s. Loongwo left Hankow for Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.N. s.s. Sunning left Hongkonk for Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchi left Foochow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyung left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Chungking left Hankow for Shanghai on Thursday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Omi Maru left Moji yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangwah will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Shantung will leave Pukow for Shanghai today.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Atsuta Maru is expected to leave Moji today and is due in Shanghai next Monday. The Atsuta sails for London next Wednesday.

The P. and O. s.s. Banca from Bombay, left Hongkong for Japan at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday morning.

The B.I. s.s. Japan left Calcutta for Shanghai and ports on February 18 and is expected to arrive here on March 11.

The P. and O. s.s. Dunera from Bombay, is expected to arrive at Hongkong next Tuesday morning.

The P. and O. s.s. Khiva from London, was expected to leave Bombay for Shanghai on February 23.

The C.M. s.s. Kwangtah left Hongkong for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The C.N. s.s. Chihli is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Swatow tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Taiyung will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Yingchow will leave Hongkong for Shanghai tomorrow.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kaga Maru arrived in Shanghai from London and ports yesterday morning and will sail for Kobe today.

The K.M.A. s.s. Kwangping left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Thursday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Burrumbeet (chartered) left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Thursday.

Banque Industrielle de Chine

Capital authorised	Frs. 250,000,000
Capital subscribed	„ 150,000,000
Capital paid up....	„ 75,000,000
Reserve	„ 30,000,000

One third of the Capital i. e. Frs. 50,000,000 subscribed by
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC

Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11th, 1913.

President: ANDRE BERTHELOT
General Manager: A. J. PERNOTTE

HEAD OFFICE:
74 RUE SAINT LAZARE, PARIS

BRANCHES:
Marseilles, Peking, Tientsin, Hankow, Shanghai, Vladivostock, Hongkong, Canton, Foochow Yunnanfu, Saigon, Haiphong, Swatow and Yokohama.

BANKERS:
In London: The London Joint City & Midland Bank, Ltd., London.
In France: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Developement du Commerce & de l'Industrie en France.
In Italy: Banca Commerciale Italiana—Credito Italiano.
In New York: Messrs. Redmond & Co., New York.

Taels, Dollars, Gold Accounts

Interest allowed on current accounts in Gold or local currency and fixed deposits on application.

Every description of Banking and exchange business transacted Savings accounts in Gold and local currency.

G. LION,
Manager.

Provisions Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on February 24, 1920.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	14-20
Mutton	„	16-20
Pork	„	25-30
Veal	„	25-30
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	20-25
Cod	„	20-25
Mandarin	„	30-40
Mackerel	„	18-20
Pomfret	„	25-30
Salmon	„	18-20
Samli	„	none
Soles	„	18-20
Whitebait	„	25-30
Game, Poultry And Eggs		
Deer	each	$2.50-$3.00
Duck	each	60-90
Hare	„	35-40
Eggs	per doz.	20-24
Fowl	per lb.	20-22
Geese	each	$1.00-$1.20
Partridge	„	40-45
Pheasant	„	none
Pigeons	„	25-30
Quail	„	18-20
Snipe	„	16-18
Teal	„	18-20
Turkey	per lb.	55-60
Woodcock	„	50-60
Wild Duck	„	35-40
Wild Geese	„	40-50
Wild Pigeons	„	10-12
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	„	15-20
Bananas	„	5-6
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Lemons	each	5-6
Lichees	per lb.	none
Mangoes	each	none
Oranges	per lb.	8-12
Peaches	per lb.	none
Pears	„	10-12
Persimmons	„	none
Peeboes	„	none
Plums	„	none
Pumeloes	each	15-20
Pineapples		none
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	per lb.	14-16
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	4-5
Asparagus	per doz.	none
Broad Beans	per lb.	8-10
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Cabbage	each	4-6
Carrots	per bunch	2-3
Cauliflower	each	10-20
Celery	per bunch	8-10
Egg Plant	per lb.	6-8
French Beans	„	25-30
Green Corn	each	none
Leeks	per bunch	2-3
Mushrooms	per lb.	none
Onions	per lb.	8-10
Parsnips	per bunch	6-8
Peas	per lb.	8-10
Potatoes	per picul	$3.50-$4.00
Spinach	per lb.	4-5
Tomatoes	„	15-18
Turnips	per bunch	1-2
Grain And Flour		
Flour, American	50 lbs.	$4.50
Flour, Australian	„	$3.80
Flour, Shanghai	„	$2.60
Rice	200 lb.	$8.60
Milk		
Foreign dairies	per bottle	20
Chinese dairies	„	12
Fuel		
House Coal	per ton	Tls. 18.50
Stove Coal	„	Tls. 22.00
Firewood	per 50 bundles	$1.00
Laundry		
Per 100 articles		$3.00-$4.00

E. KILNER,
Chief Inspector.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST
Yesterday's Prices

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B. ..	$425 B.
Chartered	£80
Russo-Asiatic	Rs. 250
Marine Insurances	
Canton	Tls. 390
North China	$160
Union of Canton ..	Hk. 180 S.
Yangtsze	$180 B.
Far Eastern Ins. Co., Ltd.	Tls. 18¾ B.
Fire Insurances.	
China Fire	$138
Hongkong Fire ..	$300
Shipping	
Indo-China Def. ..	$205
Indo-China Pref. .	$20
"Shell"	260/– S.
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 41 B.
Shanghai Tug pref	Tls. 37 S.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 17 B.
Oriental Cons. ...	25/–
Raub	$1
Docks	
Hongkong Dock ..	Tls. 146
Shanghai Dock ...	Tls. 106 B.
New Eng. Works .	Tls. 28 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf ..	Tls. 127½ B.
Hongkong Wharf	Tls. 82 B.
Lands and Hotels	
Anglo-French Land	Tls. 60 B.
China Land	Tls. 50
Shanghai Land ...	Tls. 60 B.
Weihaiwei Land .	Tls. 3
S'hai Hotels Ltd. .	Tls. 16 B.
China Realty (ord)	Tls. 68
China Realty (pref)	Tls. 50
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.) Tls.	Tls. 540 B.
E-wo Pref	Tls. 82
Laou-kung-mow ..	Tls. 400 x d E
Oriental	Tls. 285 B.
Shanghai Cotton .	Tls. 330 B.
Kungyik	Tls. 47½ B.
Yangtszepoo	Tls. 84½ B.
Yangtszepoo Pref. .	Tls. 85
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	$201
Green Island	$6½
Langkats	Tls. 11½ B.
Major Bros	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra ...	Tls. 125
Stores	
Hall & Holtz	Tls. 12¼
Llewellyn	$80
Lane, Crawford ...	Tls. 80 B.
Moutrie	$82
Watson	$5½
Weeks	Tls. 11¼
Rubbers (Local).	
Alma	Tls. 5¾ B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.50
Anglo-Java	Tls. 7.10 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 2½ B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 2(
Batu Anam 1918 .	Tls. 0.50 B.
Bukit Toh Alang .	Tls. 1½ B.
Bute	Tls. 0.40 B.
Chemor United ..	Tls. 0.52½ B.
Chempedak	Tls. 5½
Cheng	Tls. 1 B.
Consolidated	Tls. 1¾ B.
Dominion	Tls. 5½
Gula Kalumpong .	Tls. 4¼ B.
Java Consolidated.	Tls. 10 B.
Kamunting	Tls. 2½ B.
Kapala	Tls. 0.60
Kapayang	Tls. 10
Karan	Tls. 8.10
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 2 B.
Kroewoek Java ...	Tls. 9 B.
Padang	Tls. 8½
Pengkalan Durian .	Tls. 2½ B.
Permata	Tls. 2¾
Repah	Tls. 0.60
Samagaga	Tls. 0.50 B.
Seekee	Tls. 0.75 B.
Semambu	Tls. 0.50 B.
Senawang	Tls. 8
Shanghai Klebang .	Tls. 0.50 B.
Shanghai Malay ..	Tls. 6
S'hai Malay pref. .	Tls. 8 B.
Shanghai Pahang .	Tls. 1½
Sungala	Tls. 0.50
Sungei Duri	Tls. 5¼ B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 2 B.
S'hai Kalantan ...	Tls. 0.50
S'hai Seremban ...	Tls. 0.60
Taiping	Tls. 0.55 B.
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.45 B.
Tebong	Tls. 12
Ulobri	Tls. 2½
Ziangbe	Tls. 3¼ B.
Miscellaneous	
C. T & E. Lumber .	Tls. 350
Culty Dairy	Tls. 13
S'hai Elec. & Asb	$2
Shanghai Trams ..	Tls. 62½ B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 14 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 40
Shanghai Mercury .	Tls 25
S'hai Telephone ..	Tls. 73 B.
S'hai Waterworks .	Tls. 140

S. Sellers. Sa. Sales. B. Buyers.

Benjamin and Potts, 3 Jinkee Rd. Telephone No. Central 293

Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, February 27, 1920.

Money and Bullion

Sovereigns: buying rate,
@ 8/4=Tls. 2.4000
@ exch. 73.2=Mex. $3.2787
Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate,
@ 142¼=Tls. 70.30
@ exch. 73.2=Mex. $96.04
Mex. Dollars: Market Rate:
Opening ..... Tls. 72.975
Closing ..... Tls. —
Shanghai Gold Bars: 978 touch Tls. 163
Bar Silver 998 touch ...Tls. 111
Copper Cash ... per tael 187.000
Native Interest ..... Tls. 04

Latest London Quotations

Bar Silver ..... 82¼d.
Bank Rate of Discount 6%
Market Rate of Discount:
3 m/s. 5 11/16%
4 m/s. 5 11/16%
6 m/s. 5 11/16%
Ex., Paris on London Fr. 48.43
Ex., New York on London T.T. G.338¼

Exchange Opening Quotations

London ..... T.T. 8/4
London ..... Demand 8/4¼
India ..... T.T. 312½
Paris ..... T.T. 2040
Paris ..... Demand 2043
New York ..... T.T. 142
New York ..... Demand 142¼
Hongkong ..... T.T. 67
Japan ..... T.T. 32
Batavia ..... T.T. 377

Bank's Buying Rates
Nominal

London ....4 m/s. Cdts. 8/8½
London ....4 m/s. Docy. 8/8¾
London ....6 m/s. Cdts. 8/9¾
London ....6 m/s. Docy. 8/10
Paris ..... 4 m/s. 2190
New York ...4 ms. Docy. 152¾

Tourists' Exchange
@ Bank's Closing Demand Buying Rates

£10 @ exch. 8/7= Sh. Tls. 23.30
G.$50 @ exch. 146= Sh. Tls. 34.25
Fr. 250 @ exch. 2100= Sh. Tls. 11.90

1 Shanghai Tael=Mex. $1.36 at Bank's selling rate for Mexican Dollars.

ROUBLES EXCHANGE

Today's Bank Buying Rate For Roubles

Roubles 6,500 ..... =Tls. 100
Roubles 100 .....=Mex. $2.09

Exchange Shop Rates

Buying:: 100 Old Roubles $2.70
Buying: 100 New Roubles $2.20
Selling: 100 Old Roubles $2.90
Selling: 100 New Roubles $2.30

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR JANUARY

Hk. Tls.	2.31	@ 7/9¼	£1
„	1	@ 1593 Fr.	17.75
„	0.61	@ 147¼ Gold	$1
„	1	@ 33⅝ Yen	3.31
„	1	@ 15 Rupees	6.49
„	1	@ — Roubles	—
„	1	@ 1.50 Mex.	$1.50

Stock Exchange Transactions

Shanghai, February 27, 1920.

OFFICIAL
Kungyik Cotton Tls. 51.00 Mar.
Y'poo Cotton Tls. 35.00 March

UNOFFICIAL
H. & S. Banks $430.00
Almas Tls. 6.00
L'kats (Com.) Tls. 12.00 Mar.
Ewo Cotton (ord.) Tls. 575.00 March
Oriental Cotton Tls. 290.00 March
Shanghai Cotton Tls. 345.00 March

New Amherst Rubber Estate Holds Third Annual Meeting

Reports were presented yesterday at the third annual meeting of shareholders of the New Amherst Rubber Estate whose properties are located about 46 miles from Moulmein, Rangoon, Burma. Those present at the meeting were Mr. G. Grayrigge, chairman, and Messrs. E. S. Kadoorie, C. J. L. Stewart and R. N. Truman. Mr. R. N. Swann acted as secretary.

Following the address of the chairman four resolutions that were presented were adopted. The chairman's speech was as follows:

CHAIRMAN'S SPEECH

Gentlemen: The necessary quorum being present I will ask the Secretary to read the notice convening the meeting and the Auditors Report.

The report has been in your hands some days, so I will with your permission take same as read.

During the year under review the planted area has been increased by 1.43 acres. A further 300 acres are now being prepared for planting and when completed the area under Hevea will be about 1,400 acres leaving a further 500 acres to plant up.

The Government has recently surveyed the estate and we expect to receive the new grants in the near future.

The estate has been kept in first class condition and the growth of the trees is satisfactory. In June last year owing to exceptionally heavy rains some of the fields were flooded, necessitating much supplying, the manager reports these fields are all coming on well. The crop of rubber harvested was slightly below the estimate which is due to the thinning out of the oldest areas. The estimate of 47,500 lbs. for 1919-1920 the manager thinks, is on the high side owing to the conservative system of tapping adopted. Diseases and pests have been normal and labor and health satisfactory.

The cost of production F.O.B. port of shipment was 12 annas 3 pies as compared with 13 annas 6 pies last year converted into sterling at 15 rupees to the £ the cost compares as follows: 1/0.23 1918-1919, as against 1/1.51 in the preceding year. Should the rupee be permantly increased in value the cost of production in sterling will increase relatively. The price realised for the sale of rubber was 1/6.72 net at port of shipment compared with 1/0.98 in the preceding year.

The rubber is shipped to London and Singapore. The profit derived from the sale of rubber after deducting selling charges, tapping, collecting, transport, manufacturing, freight and duty was Tls. 6,115.77 which sum has been credited to development account. We shall continue to deal with profits in this manner until such time as we are producing rubber in large quantities. Mr. Palmgren has continued as manager and the visiting agent, Mr. Carr, reports very satisfactorily on his administrations.

The resolution I will now propose has been circulated in the report as an extraordinary resolution but yesterday our legal advisor wrote us that it would be in order under Clause 58 of the company's articles to put the same before you as an ordinary resolution. I therefore intend to follow his advice and now beg to propose Resolution No. 5, namely: "That the Directors power to borrow conferred by Clause 58 of the Articles of Association be extended so that the amount at any time owing in respect of moneys so borrowed or raised shall not without the sanction of a general meeting exceed Shanghai Taels 200,000. Proposed by G. Grayrigge; Seconded by E. S. Kadoorie.

One scheme had already been adopted for raising the extra capital required and received the approval of our legal advisor but in his letter of yesterday, he raises certain points which may necessitate our abandoning that particular scheme and framing another.

All that is necessary at this meeting is that you should sanction an increase of the Board's borrowing powers and later on the scheme for raising the money shall be placed before you.

The object of this resolution is clear. More money is required for carrying on the business of the company to finance new and necessary buildings, extensions, etc.

The estate from all reports is in an excellent condition and the development of the trees most satisfactory, and it would appear that the debenture-holders have first class security in the property.

Under the scheme which may now be found unfeasible we had promises to take up some Taels 105,000 of debentures, and I am hoping any substitute scheme that may be adopted later on may prove similarly attractive.

The resolution is now before the meeting and I shall be glad to answer your questions to the best of my ability.

FRENCH MARKETS
(French Wireless Service)

Paris, February 26.—Market quotations:

Marseilles, February 26:

Rice cleaned: Saigon	300
Green peas: Japan	140
Potato starch	195

Le Havre, February 25:

Cotton, First quality	713
Cotton, Second quality	713
Cotton, Third quality	713

Lyons, February 26:
Raw Silks:

Cevennes	425
Italy	450
Syria	350
Japan	400
China	450
Canton	300

Singapore Rubber Auction

Singapore, February 5 and 6.—Following were the prices realised at the auction this week:

	Singapore per lb. Cents.
SHEET	
Singapore Standard Ribbed	114½/112
Off Quality Ribbed...	111½/100
Smoked Fine Plain ..	105½
Smoked Good Plain..	99½
Unsmoked Fine Ribbed	Nil
Unsmoked Good Ribbed	Nil
Unsmoked Fine Plain.	95
Unsmoked Good Plain	88
Cupwashing	96/90
CREPE	
Singapore Standard First Latex	114/111
Off Color Latex	111/106
Good Pale Blanket ..	Nil
Good Brown Blanket.	Nil
Fine Brown	107/102
Good Brown	101½/98
Good Dark	98½/90
Barky	89/78
SCRAP	
Virgin and Pressed..	73/68
Loose	72

Catalogued for Sale: 2,307,518 lbs. (about 1,030 tons).

Sold: 1,980,802 lbs. (about 885 tons).

The local market has advanced rather suddenly this week and an all-round improvement in prices was manifest at this week's auction. The particular feature of the sale was the greatly improved demand for First Latex and all qualities of Crepe, a larg number of buyers being interested. The biddin gfor Sheet was more or less confined to a few large buyers, both manufacturers and dealers taking up large quantities in some cases.

Singapore Standard Ribbed Smoked Sheet realised from 114½-112 cents or 4 cents more than last week. The bidding for Off Quality sheet was most erratic; at one time this grade fetched only about 1 cent less than Standard Sheet and at other times 5 or 6 cents less.

First Latex Crepe found many more buyers than usual and realised from 114-111 cents, showing an advance of 4½ cents on the week. One lot realised 115 cents and two 114½.

The demand for Fine Brown Crepe has become very keen again after a lapse of about 3 weeks, buyers paying very high prices this week, one lot actually realising 108½ cents. This grade shows an advance of 7 cents on the week. Dark and Barky Crepes advancing in proportion.

At the continuation this morning, there was no chang in the market, which at the time of writing remains steady.

Meyer and Meanor.

Hongkong Market

Messrs. Moxon and Taylor write as follows in their report dated February 19:

Owing to the near approach of China New Year the period under review has been reduced to two working days. For this reason and also on account of renewed strength in exchange there is no alteration to report, our market being flat and lifeless.

The following Company has issued its report for the year ended December 31, 1919:

The Malabon Sugar Co., Ltd.—The results of the trading for the year are as favorable to the Company as preceding years hav been.

PARIS EXCHANGE
(French Wireless Service)

Paris, February 26.—Exchange quotations:

London	48.43
New York	14.32
Belgium	103.75
Spain	246.50
Italy	77.25
Japan	674
Rumania	18.50
Switzerland	228.25
French War Loans:	
3 percent	57.60
4 percent 1917.....	71.75
4 percent 1918.....	71.40
5 percent	87.85

100 Barcelona Syndicalists Held

Civil Governor Suppresses Association And Newspapers—Declare Reds Outlaws

Madrid, January 7.—The Syndicalist associations in Barcelona have been suppressed by the Civil Governor there, according to a message from Barcelona to El Sol today. One hundred of the Syndicalist leaders have been arrested. Advices from Barcelona also said the Syndicalist newspaper Solidaridad Obrera had been suppressed.

The action of the Civil Governor is reported to have created a sensation and to have caused satisfaction.

It is reported that the Government intends also to suppress the Syndicalist organisation at Valencia, Corunna, Vigo and other places where outrages have been committed, and there is said to be a possibility that the Syndicalist associations will be declared outlaws.

A high Spanish official, in discussing the situation at Barcelona, said it was caused in the first place by the refusal of the Catalonians, both employers and workmen, to recognise the central power in the nation, owing to their sympathy with the Catalonian movement for autonomy. Now that both sides were appealing to the central power there would be some chance, he thought, of bringing about a settlement.

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WEATHER

The depression will move away at Sea between Chekiang and Kiusiu. The weather will probably improve. Northerly breezes on the Yellow Sea. Moderate monsoon in the South.

CARDS OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wade and family, and Mr. and Mrs. T. S. D. Wade return sincere thanks for the many kind expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes received in their sad bereavement.

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DEATHS

MARTIN: On February 26th, 1920, at Shanghai, suddenly, the Rev. William Martin, M.A., Pastor of the Union Church, Yokohama, aged 65 years. Funeral will take place at the Bubbling Well Cemetery today (Saturday) at 4 p.m.

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HOGG: At 4 Jinkee Road, on 26th inst., Edward Jenner Hogg aged 82 years. The funeral took place at 4:30 p.m. yesterday at the Bubbling Well Cemetery.

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The Shantung Question

THE following letter from a prominent citizen of Hangchow opens up some new arguments in the controversy which is raging over the question as to whether China should enter into direct negotiations with Japan in regard to Shantung:

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Sir: Public opinion is now focused on The Shantung Question. The general opinion is decidedly against direct negotiation with Japan, but in favor of submitting the question to the League of Nations in the hopes of receiving equitable settlement. The government, while still remaining silent as to its definite policy, is apparently being induced as well as coerced into direct negotiation. Reasons have been advanced in abundance to show the disadvantages of taking up the question with the Tokio government direct; so to save space your correspondent will not discuss this phase of the question.

The majority of people are enthusiastically advocating the submission of the question to the League of Nations, and weighing the relative merits of the two courses of solving the problem, it is easy to see why the public are blind to one fundamental mistake. We are fighting for our sovereign rights and there is only one way to vindicate them. A sovereign nation has absolute control over her own people and territory. By submitting the question to the League we simply weaken our position and surrender our sovereign rights to the nations that compose the League. It is only foolish to expect equitable treatment from a League that is dominated by the influence of only three powers—England, France and Italy, which all have received their respective portions of the spoils of the war.

America is the only influential factor in the League, which is free to say that justice and equality should be given to the weaker ally; but her words will carry very little weight in a court where the other judges are muzzled.

The best such a League can do is to refuse to hear the case, thus avoiding complications and shunning responsibilities. If that should be the case, the Peking Government would have a very strong reason to support its policy of direct negotiation with Japan. The Government would say that in compliance with public opinion "we have submitted the question to the League of Nations and have been denied hearing. If the question had been taken up with Japan direct, we would not have lost our face. Now the only course open is to begin negotiations with the Japanese Government. But, owing to our refusal to consider the proposals made by Japan at the beginning, we can not take upon ourselves the responsibility of any failure. We have washed our hands. You, the people, have to be responsible for what may result from the negotiations."

What can we say then?

Now, suppose the League of Nation actually takes up the case and renders a decision which is disadvantageous to us, what should we do? Should we abide by it or not? China would be honor-bound to stand by the decision. What is the use, then, of submitting the question to the League?

The one and only stand for us to take, so as to protect our sovereign rights and to avoid the injurious effects of direct negotiation, is to resist the coming into possession of our rightly-owned territory by Japan, on one hand, and to awaken the people to the imminent dangers to the country and the paramount importance of national defense. We should wait until Japan acts and resist, even at the sacrifice of our lives, property and what not, the encroachment upon our land by the representative of Kaiserism in the East. The "Germanism poisoned" people will have their lot. There is nothing more noble and glorious in a people than what we have recently seen in Korea during her national awakening. We need, such stubborn, death-braving spirit as the young Korean women and men have shown to the world. They have won the admiration and sympathy of every freedom-loving people. We will fight—fight in the sense Dr. C. T. Wong has repeatedly expostulated—to make, at least this part of the world safe for democracy. Tsingtao should be under the control of China. She should have the right to dispose of the place in any way she wishes without the interference of a stranger. Neither submission to the League nor direct negotiation is the right course to pursue. Stand on your rights and vindicate them until you draw your last breath!

Yours truly,

A CHINESE CITIZEN.

Hangchow, Feb. 26, 1920.

Our correspondent, of course, takes a bold and what ordinarily would be an admirable position. China, however, in her present defenceless state, probably would place her whole future in jeopardy by following the course he advises. Her government has been so weak and corrupt and ignorant that there exists no possibility of her being able to drive Japan out of Shantung by mere physical force. Japan is not in Shantung by moral right, perhaps, but she is there because of certain treaty rights which can only be abrogated by direct negotiations or by submission of the whole matter to the League of Nations.

China, by taking the stand indicated might and probably would, win the moral sympathy of the world, and it is conceivable that such a stand on her part might even lead to a situation which would result in one or more other Powers intervening. But such intervention would open up still further complications. And in the present state of China and the world at large every effort should be made to avoid an armed conflict of the character indicated. Every peaceable plan should be exhausted before there is any resort to arms.

British Laws And American Companies

SOME time ago when the British Order in Council was promulgated providing that henceforth the management of all companies incorporated under Hongkong law should be in British hands, efforts were made to represent the step as directed against American trade interests. The common-sense of the matter is excellently stated by Mr. T. R. Jernigan, Dean of the American Bar in Shanghai, in the foreword to his annual report as President of the Far Eastern American Bar Association. The question arises, he points out, from the fact that for business convenience some American companies have been incorporated under the Hongkong Ordinance, a proceeding which immediately gave a foreign court jurisdiction over their business. The new Order requires that the manager of companies incorporated under British law shall be a British subject. Mr. Jernigan observes:

"An order of that character need not be understood as invidious or selfish, but rather as intended to prevent the logical object of British corporation laws from being practically defeated. For similar reasons American business and its management should be under American jurisdiction and the shortest way to that result should be adopted at once."

That is sound reasoning and also an example of the right attitude to take in discussing the action of a foreign and friendly country. While the Hongkong Ordinance was a convenience to American and other non-British firms trading in China, it could not be satisfactory to Americans to have to place themselves under foreign jurisdiction, any more than it was satisfactory to Englishmen to have their laws used to cover the transactions of citizens of other countries. The real trouble was the absence of an American law for the incorporation of companies abroad, and it is satisfactory to know that a bill for the purpose is before Congress.

The Growing Menace Of Extreme Radicalism

(*New York World*)

"Bolshevism is spreading so rapidly in this country that it is almost impossible to keep pace with it, and it behooves the American people to wake up quickly to the peril."

The speaker of this warning was Peter W. Collins, who is probably in a better position than any one else in the United States to know the extent to which revolutionary ideas have taken hold of the people. For he has for 20 years been engaged in a campaign to stem the tide of radicalism, and since the war has been stumping the country from one end to the other, gathering audiences in halls, armories and public squares and answering the questions put to him by those whom he has challenged.

Mr. Collins is a member in good standing of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, of which he was for eight years the secretary; he was editor of the Electrical Worker for eight years, was the representative of labor on the Illinois Industrial Commission, is an honorary organiser of the American Federation of Labor, was once President of the Boston Central Labor Union, and during the war was the industrial expert for the United States Government whose PEP slogans—Patriotism Encourages Production—were posted in workshops from coast to coast.

As Director General of Reconstruction and Employment Service under the Knights of Columbus he has since the armistice put hundreds of soldiers and sailors into worth while jobs.

Mr. Collins has met in debate all the leading Socialists in America, except Debs, to whom he had standing for years an offer of $300 for a debate.

In the anti-Bolshevism campaign he is now conducting he makes a specialty of seeking out the places where the Socialists are strongest and of offering to answer from the public platform any questions they may ask. He has addressed millions of people and answered many thousands of questions.

I expressed astonishment at what seemed like an alarmist statement.

"I am no alarmist," he said earnestly; "but law-abiding, respectable people of this country have not the faintest idea of the cancer that is spreading in their midst. I myself have been amazed sometimes in some quiet Western town or village to discover that it had been already infected and that the poison was rapidly spreading throught it.

"There are 10,000,000 persons who are reading Socialist newspapers every week. There are 250 such papers printed in English and about 125 in foreign languages, and they are all thriving.

"I have faced large audiences in which two out of three of those present were revolutionaries, and this not only in great industrial centers but in farming communities and small towns. In centers of manufacturing I have sometimes had as many as 5,000 at my talk, and of these almost all were rabid Socialists."

"Socialists," I said, "but surely all Socialists are not Bolshevists?"

"There is no real difference; Bolshevism is only Socialism in action," replied Mr. Collins. "There are, of course, many persons who imagine themselves to be Socialists, but who really are not, for they don't know what Socialism is. They are attracted by some of the ideas it advocates and imagine that these are the essence of Socialism while in fact they are only the trimmings, sometimes the minor incidentals, sometimes just the bait put in to attract the simple-minded and land them in the net of Bolshevism. It amazes such persons as these to learn from the writings of the real leaders of Socialism what are the principles upon which it is based. These principles hitherto preached in an academic way have at last been put into action in Russia, and the disciples of real Socialism are eager to put them into action in America. This means revolution. They are the principles laid down by Karl Marx.

"The greatest living Marxian, the shining orthodox Marxian of today, is Lenin. And it is for Lenin that a great many audiences in America have their loudest cheers."

Mr. Collins opened his portfolio and produced lists of questions that had been fired at him from audiences in the last few months, lists methodically tabulated under the names of cities and States. He handed them to me and suggested that I look over them and judge for myself what was in the minds of the people who asked them. I copied, almost at random, from these lists, and present herewith some specimens of the sort of questions an anti-Socialist speaker has to face wherever he goes.

"Study these questions," said Mr. Collins, "and you will get a better idea of the revolutionary ideas that are stewing in the minds of the people than you could from anything I might tell you."

"What kinds of persons asked you these questions?" I demanded.

"All kinds, so far as their appearance was any indication. Old and young, Americans and foreign, men and women, shopkeepers, farmers, school teachers, laborers, even members of the learned professions. At one sleepy town in an agricultural Western State, where my audience seemed to be principally intelligent looking persons of old American stock, I apologised for devoting much time to Bolshevism, for it seemed to me that in that particular community there could be little need of a warning. After I had talked awhile, however, a man arose and began asking me questions of a nature that proved that he at least was a real Marxian revolutionist. And this man was the pastor of the principal church in the town and evidently highly respected and a leader of local thought. He was preaching his revolutionary doctrines from his pulpit every Sunday, and his people were absorbing them.

"While this is an exceptional case, it illustrates how the ideals of Bolshevism penetrate even into localities where they would least be expected.

"The Socialist propaganda has been conducted most insidiously. The principal effort has been to make it appear as a working man's movement, though it never came from labor, it has nothing in common with labor, it is false as far as labor is concerned and is the greatest enemy of the working man. It is the most scientific system of fraud in the history of the world. The Socialist leaders have done their best to undermine the labor unions by insinuating their followers into them and trying to turn them to Bolshevism and capture them for their own purposes. A few of them, like Haywood, have been frank enough to attack trade unionism, but others, like Victor Berger, have been wiser—from their standpoint—and directed their energies to undermining the unions from the inside. Others, like Robert Hunter, have tried by threats to bulldoze the unions into joining in the revolutionary tactics of the Socialists.

"The object of all of these is to destroy the labor unions, for they realise that there is a great gulf fixed between trade unionism and Socialism; the two are incompatible; their basic principles are in direct opposition. Union labor is the greatest bulwark against Socialism. Union labor is working for the benefit of the toilers; Socialism is working against them. One has but to read the writings of the leaders of Socialism to see this violent antagonism between it and labor.

"And it is one of the most extraordinary paradoxes with which the world has been faced that this destructive movement called Socialism—which we can see now in active operation in Russia—founded by university graduates like Marx, Engels and Lasalle, who were not laboring men, preached by men like Shaw, Bax, Carpenter and Avelling in England; like Spargo, Hunter, Stokes, Patterson and Herron in America; like La Fargue, Jaures and Guesde in France, none of whom were or are aboring men, should call itself a abor movement and should appeal or support on the plea that it is fighting for the toiling masses.

"But it is just these pleas that are winning the support of so many million Americans who are dissatisfied with much that is not right in our Government and social system. Read those questions and remember that the men and women who ask them are sincere. They look toward destruction of the present Government as a remedy. If you have ever read Karl Marx you will recognise the food on which these American minds are feeding. It is not the rose-tinted, violet-scented dilute Socialism of the altruistic-parlor dreamers—but the practical, blood-red, direct action, revolutionary Socialism of Marx and Lenin and Trotsky that is taking hold of our people and poisoning their minds against American institutions, government, law, order, the rights of property, religion, morality. The idea of 'revolution' is in their hearts and the word is on their lips. They want to overturn, not merely to improve our institutions. They frankly ask me if I do not think that Trotsky is a greater man than Wilson and Lenin a greater man than George Washington. They think so, and they say so, not sporadically, here and there, but almost everywhere I go.

"They gilbly quote the Bible; the words of our Lord are cited in their efforts to prove their case. Not because they believe that the Bible is the word of God or that Jesus was divine, for they ridicule any such ideas as these, but that they know that I and the majority of Americans believe them, and they glory in their efforts to make us seem inconsistent with our beliefs. Some of their questions will, perhaps, look silly and childish to you—'Why doesn't your God protect little children and do away with child labor?' 'Is it according to Christ to advocate preparedness?' for instance—but it will not do to laugh these aside as the questions of fools, for those who ask them are no fools, and they have to be answered frankly and simply.

"They are not always ingenuous, however, nor are they always honest, so it is necessary to be ready with the answer and to be as full of guile as they. In my debate with Lewis, one of their leaders, he quoted Christ as having said, 'Unless you work you shall not eat.' My answer to him was this: It was not Christ but St. Paul who said that, and let me add for your especial benefit that the whole sentence was, 'Unless you work you shall not eat, because many among you are walking disorderly and curiously meddling.' Needless to say, I emphasised the latter part of the quotation.

"While there is much of this atheistical questioning, and many savage attacks upon the Catholic church, which these Socialists look upon as their greatest enemy—Victor Berger says the great conflict of the future will be between the 'black international' (the Catholic church) and the 'red international' (Socialism)—you will notice that the greater number imply hostility to the Government—to government in general, but also, and this for us is the most important, specifically to the American Government and its institutions.

"I think that neither you nor I, nor any intelligent man will deny that there are faults in our Government, but you and I and all other good Americans who believe that, imperfect as it is, ours is the best form of government yet devised by man, are interested in eradicating its faults, remedying its defects, and trying our best to make it perfect. We strive to build up on what we have. My questioners, however, have taken as their Utopia the chaos of license and tyranny that Lenin and Trotsky have imposed upon Russia, a despotism that makes the Tsar look like a piker; they frankly and openly assert their ambition to tear down the whole edifice of American institutions even to its foundations. Destruction is their immediate object. You have only to read their questions, which are asked nightly in every city and hamlet in this land, to realise the truth of that assertion."

"Do you think many Americans have any idea of what is going on in their midst?" I asked.

"The vast mass of Americans have no idea of the extent or of the power of this appeal to class hatred, this menace to American institutions," was Mr. Collins's reply. "And it is high time they woke up. This hideous thing has to be fought by all the people. A group of capitalists, organising an anti-Bolshevist society, backed by millions can accomplish nothing. It is the people that must rise and fight this revolutionary propaganda. The laboring men must arouse themselves to the danger that menaces them more than any others. They must not merely drive these anti-American revolutionists out of their unions but they must make this such an unhealthy place for them that they will long to get away from our shores."

I told Mr. Collins the story of an attempted Socialist counter-demonstration to a celebration of victory in Bologna in November of last year, and how the general in command of the Presidio handled it. He had heard what was in the wind and he instructed the police to look at the beauty of the clouds if any trouble started. At the first treasonable shouts, he spoke a few burning words from a balcony and retired, leaving the rest to the crowd. This handled the matter more effectually than a regiment of soldiers could have done, and in a few minutes the Socialists were scurrying into holes and corners to hide and seeking hospitals in which to have their wounds doctored, while the police gazed heavenward and refrained from seeing anything on earth. I asked him if this might not be a good way to deal with the revolutionists in America. "Excellent!" he said. "The vast mass of Americans can be relied upon to stamp out the rebellious I. W. W.'s and Bolsheviki; but there are already so many of these that in some places it will find its hands full, unless it has its eyes opened to the peril in time to prevent the infection from spreading further.

"Don't take me for an alarmist. I know what is going on, for I come into daily contact with it, and it would be almost impossible to exaggerate the danger. Tell your millions of readers to read the questions you have selected and to think what it means when such questions are in the mouths of tens of thousands of their fellow citizens all over the country. If they will ponder over these questions and realise that they come from the hearts and minds of men and women in all walks of life, men and women who are sincere in their desire to destroy American institutions, they will no longer regard the Socialist soap-box orator with a smile of indulgent tolerance, as so many of them do, but will look upon him as a poisoner of the national conscience, and a rebel who should be outside the pale of the law.

"In Milwaukee they have just re-elected Berger. Why? Because they underestimated the hold that such doctrines had taken upon the people. I told them he would win, and they laughed at me. I told them why he would win, and they did not take my warning seriously. It is men of the Berger type who are most dangerous, because they are so sincere that they are glad to go to prison for their faith. They won in Milwaukee because for many years they have had hundreds of men and women distributing Socialist literature, pushing it under the door of every house in the city every Sunday morning. This illustrates how well organised they are, and how earnestly devoted to their cause. How can we fight against a persistent, fanatical, implacable campaign like that, except by the whole people banded together to fight it.

"Only thus can we save the American Government which they would change to the Soviet; the American family, which they call a 'relic of barbarism'; the American home which they call an 'antiquated relic'; the American State, which they call a 'capitalistic institution'; only thus can we save Christianity, which they call a 'colossal imposture' and a 'monster of iniquity.'"

Correspondence

MEMORIAL HALL, CHEFOO

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Sir.—With reference to the correspondence there has been lately in regard to the Memorial Hall which it is proposed to erect at Chefoo in memory of the old boys of the China Inland Mission Schools who made the supreme sacrifice by giving their lives for King and Country in the late war, may we say, to remove any misunderstanding, that the scheme was initiated by some of us who were educated at Chefoo without reference to the Mission authorities. As soon as sufficient funds have been collected, it is proposed to ask them to provide the site for the hall and to accept it as a gift from past scholars of the Schools and others who are interested in the project.

The local committee of the Chefoo Schools Association has the matter in hand and the appeal for funds was sent out by the undersigned.

We are, Sir,
Yours, etc.,
G. H. Rendall, Hon. Sec.
E. F. Hardman, Hon. Treas.
China Branch,
Chefoo Schools Association.

February 26, 1920.

BRITISH WOMAN'S WORK ASSOCIATION

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Sir.—I have been asked if it is possible to obtain copies locally, of the "Queen Mary's Needlework Guild" Report, which book contains a short description of the work done by the "B. W. W. A." and some photographs taken in Shanghai. If anyone is desirous of having a copy, and will send their name and address to me, accompanied by $1, before March 6, I will be pleased to order copies from home. The money sent will go home for the Queen's Maternity Home Fund.

Thanking you for giving this publicity, I am, etc.,

C. F. Green,
Hon. Sec.

54 Avenue du Roi Albert.
Shanghai, Feb. 26.

The Kindly Bolshevist

BY JAMES J. MONTAGUE

Though blowing people into shreds
Is just a bit ungentle,
A kindly folk you'll find the Reds,
Albeit temperamental.
They like to burn and maim and slay,
And when the Legislatures
Forbid the little pranks they play,
It irks their ardent natures.

If they could tumble buildings down,
Knock railroads into flinders,
Apply their torches to a town
And leave the same in cinders;
If their delight in dynamite
Were never circumvented,
And all their schemes and plans went right.
They'd all be well contented.

As noble creatures, nobly planned,
The Bolsheviki *might* rate,
If they could terrorise the land,
With toluol trinitrate;
But when they do, forthwith appears
A copper stern and haughty,
Who tweaks their tender little ears
And tells them, "Naughty! Naughty!"

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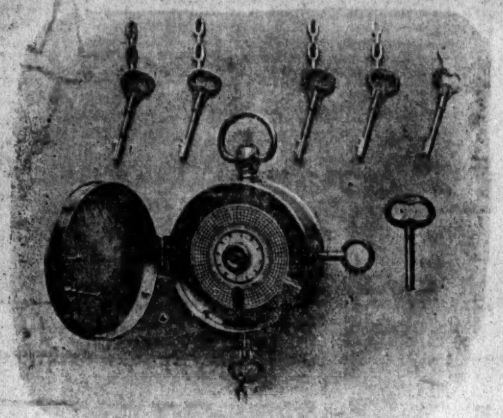

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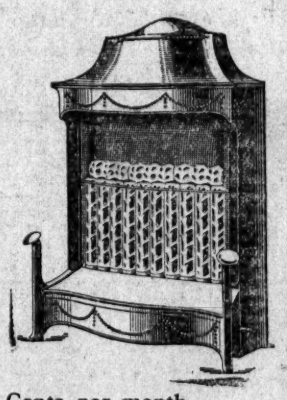

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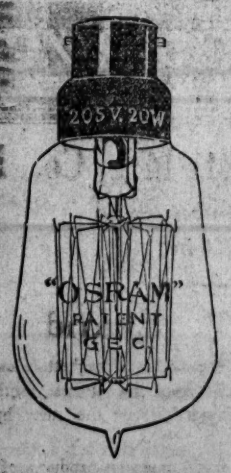

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Shall We Ever Find Fossils From The Sky?

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

A Philadelphia correspondent sends me a question from a book which starts out with the sentence:

"Dr. O. Hahn, a German lawyer, proves the existence of organic remains in the stones that come from space," and then goes on to tell how Dr. Hahn, after minute inspection of 600 chips of meteorites, of the chondritic class, and of established genuineness, discovered in them "a quantity of organic remains, principally belonging to the genus of fossil zoophytes denominated Favosites, or at least bearing a very strong resemblance to the latter, though of a still smaller type. About 50 kinds of these animals have been made out by Dr. Hahn, and assigned to 16 different families."

The correspondent who sends this quotation expresses a very natural degree of surprise, saying that it is the first intimation that he has had that here was ever any proof of life of any sort existing anywhere except on the earth, and asking if the information is reliable, and if there have been other investigations along that line since the time of Dr. Hahn.

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If Dr. Hahn had succeeded in establishing his alleged discovery to the satisfaction of men of science, he would certainly have to be credited with a wonderful contribution to knowledge. Unfortunately he convinced very few of those who were competent to judge. However, his statements which he published in a large book at Tubingen in 1880, were treated with respectful attention, and a Dr D. F. Weinland came to his support in a paper published in 1882. In the same year Professor Carl Vogt, of Geneva, thoroughly reviewed the subject, and showed that what Hahn had taken for fossil corals, sponges and crinoids were really nothing of the kind, and that they were not even organic structures, but purely inorganic.

No serious attempt, as far as I know, has ever since been made to discover animal remains in stones falling from the sky, but there can be no doubt that the first unquestionable appearance of anything of that kind in a meteorite would be immediately followed by a most thorough investigation.

If anything could create a real sensation among scientists it would be such a discovery, for consider what it would imply. Fossils are found, and can be found, only in what are called sedimentary rocks, i. e., rocks that were originally masses of sand, gravel, mud, deposited in beds by the action of water, and serving as a burial ground for the animals and plants whose chemically more or less altered remains afterward constitute the fossils.

Then, if fossils were found in meteorites the only possible conclusion would be that the stone of which the meteorites consisted had once, not only been a part of the outer crust of an inhabited planet, but had been formed by deposits of matter at the bottom of an ancient sea or lake on that planet, and had there afterward passed through a long history while being changed into rock. In other words, there would be proof that some world, closely resembling ours in its development and in its inhabitants, was destroyed by a disaster which scattered its fragments through space, so that some of them, after ages of circling in orbits, having the sun for focus of motion, occasionally fall within the sphere of the earth's gravitational control and are brought down upon its surface.

MAY OCCUR

Now, it cannot be denied that this might occur, provided that the meteorities really did originate by the destruction and dispersion of a former planetary body. It has generally, however, been assumed by astronomers that an explosion of a large planet is virtually an unthinkable occurrence, and they have been disposed to prefer almost any other theory of the origin of meteorites to that, although no one has ever yet been able to present a hypothesis satisfactory to all.

The reason why it is more difficult to think that fossils from a destroyed world could reach the earth than that simple masses of matter from the same source should do so, is because the fossil hypothesis would require that the rocks containing them should not be melted, as they would be in a great collision of planetary bodies, but should merely be knocked off, or blown off, like chips from a hammer, or fragments from a bursting shell.

But raising difficulties can never settle any question, or dispose of any solid fact, and in this case the solid fact is that very heavy, dense bodies, some mostly iron, others mostly stony matter in chemical composition like the earth's crust, do certainly come plunging down out of interplanetary space. And, while no fossils of either animals or plants have been found in any of these bodies, yet in them the chemical elements out of which plants and animals are formed on the earth do exist abundantly.

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(*New York Journal*)

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Without imagination a man may prosper relatively. He may live comfortably and die contented.

But at best such a man will only follow in beaten paths. He will only do what others have done before him.

He will not receive any of the great rewards which humanity offers to those whose Imagination opens for the benefit of all new fields of thought, of successful material effort.

In material achievement there are two elements—executive force (which may be sub-divided into an indefinite number of classifications) and the great creative power, Imagination.

Imagination enabled Marconi to see the possibility of sending electric messages without wires.

Had he been a dreamer, had he allowed his imagination to wander on indefinitely into notions of talking to other planets, the power of his imagination might have been in vain.

His imagination enabled him to see the possibility and the lack of the dreamer's quality enabled him to realise it.

There were many men centuries ago who, in an abstract kind of way, knew that the earth was round. Their imaginations led them to the discovery of facts—and long before Galileo's recantation many men knew vaguely the truth of what he taught.

It took Galileo, a man of great imagination, not a dreamer, to demonstrate his truth to all the world.

It took Columbus, with imagination and courage, but none of the dreamer about him, to sail around the world to America and prove practically what is now known to every child.

Wherever you see great material success on a new line, you see imagination without dreaming.

Many a dreamer had foreseen the steam engine, the steamboat and other great inventions without result. At the right moment a man of imagination like Fulton came along and did the actual work that the dreamer could not do.

If you want to succeed in the world, cultivate your imagination. And if you want your children to succeed encourage them in the development of their imaginations.

But let your imaginings and the imaginings of your children stop this side of dreamland.

Your brain's activity is divided into the conscious and subconscious developments. The conscious side of your mentality puts you into communication with the world, enables you to meet and to cope with conditions and individuals.

If you are to succeed materially the conscious mind must control, direct and limit the activities of the sub-conscious mind with which the imagination does its work.

If your sub-consious brain, in the departments of abstract thought, imagination and dreaming, be allowed to run away with the practical side, you may be a very great man in the far-distant future, but you may be sure you will succeed now.

The earth's greatest men are dreamers.

The world never recognises these dreamers. The successful man admits limitations. He accepts conditions as they are. He uses his imagination only as long as it can carry him to individual success and comfort.

But the very greatest spirits among men are the spirits of dreamers.

Jesus Christ was a dreamer. He saw the truth and preached it, although it meant death, and He knew that it meant death. The brotherhood that He preached nineteen hundred years ago has not yet been realised, but it will be realised in His name, and His teachings and His death will be eternal factors in its realisation.

Slowly through the centuries the men of imagination who do not dream are working and striving, each doing his little part to realise the prophecies of the Great Dreamer.

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"He kept beside his very bed a sketch-book in which he could record the musical thoughts which had occurred to him. When he was walking," writes P. A. Scholes, "he would stop, and take such a book from his pocket, and jot down a new idea that had struck him or the recasting of an old one.

"This practise he began as a boy, and continued through life, and when he died fifty of his sketch-books which still remained were included in the catalogue of the sale of his effects.

"The laborious attempt to grasp the principles of effective composition by the study of the great works of others has been made by every great composer. Boch copied out the works of Italian and French composers. Handel traveled much as a young man, hearing and studying the works of other nations. Elgar's awakening came when as a boy he first caught sight of a copy of Beethoven's first symphony, was struck by its effect, and began to study the means by which these were obtained.

"His present method of composition is essentially that of Mozart; the labor is done without pen and paper, but it is done. As he told the present writer, 'An idea comes to me, perhaps when walking. On return I write it down. Weeks or months after I may take it up and write out the piece of which it has become the germ. The actual labor of writing this, with the complete orchestral scoring, takes perhaps eight or ten hours. But the piece has gradually shaped itself in my mind in the meantime.'"

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Siccawei Weather Reports

26.—The center of high pressures retires to Manchuria, and a moderate depression appears to develop in Szechuen. Thence a veering of the breeze to NE or SE, to the N of the 25th parallel, and local mist or fog. The weather after a bright beginning, turns rainy again in the Valley.

27.—Overcast and gloomy weather with occasional rain. The wind is backing slowly to NE. The pressure continues to decrease.

MEN OF WAR IN PORT

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
M. M. B.	Nov. 11	D'Estrees	Fr. cruiser
B.N.B.	Jan. 18	Kinsha	Br. gun-boat
O. D.	Oct. 29	M. A. S. 226	Ital. sub-chaser
S'chow creek	Oct. 29	M. A. S. 227	Ital. sub-chaser
C. P. D.	Jan. 10	Quiros	Am. gun-boat
10 P.	Jan. 10	Saga	Jan. gun-boat
O. D. W.	Jan. 12	Scarab	Br. gun-boat
1 C.	Feb. 17	Toba	Jap. gun-boat
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Bauer Says New St. Bartholomew Day Was Averted

London, January 14.—A Berlin wireless of Wednesday's date says that Chancellor Bauer, speaking in the Assembly on Tuesday's disorders, said:

"I regard it my duty to express in the name of the Government my thanks to the safety police,' they opened fire only after they had been attacked by criminal elements in the crowd and brutally maltreated and killed with their own arms.

"Signals were given to storm the Reichstag Building by the Independents waving their handkerchiefs. Had the mob succeeded in penetrating the building a second St. Bartholomew's night would have ensued."

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"I want to see our Government the world's greatest moral leader, working through the League of Nations to prevent war, and I want to see our Government solve all of its problems with an eye single to the people's welfare. The treaty is not yet ratified; failure to ratify would make the treaty a very prominent, if not the dominant, issue. If it is ratified the political situation will be very decidedly changed, and no one can tell which part will benefit the more by ratification until the basis of ratification is known.

"If ratified it brings up a new group of questions, upon which the Republican Party will have to take position. If we are to be a part of the League of Nations, how shall our delegates be selected? I think they ought to be elected by popular vote in five districts, so that each section will be represented by a delegate of its own choosing. These delegates will occupy a position of influence next in importance to the President. They will give expression to our nation's conscience on the subject of peace and international relations. They should be the choice of the people and not the favorites of the executive, or the successful contestants in Congressional ingrolling.

"It seems to me that the tide is turning strongly against universal military training, and with woman's suffrage, I believe a referendum on war is sure to come. That is the first element of uncertainty in the situation

"The Republican party, having a majority in both Houses, must have a program, and the program will have a great deal to do with the shaping of the issues. The Republican party is divided into two parties, reactionary and progressive. A majority of the leaders are reactionary; a majority of the voters are progressive. Which element will shape their legislative program? Anyone who can answer the question can guess with some accuracy as to the Republican position in the national campaign, for the party will have to indorse the record made by a Republican Congress.

"But the Republicans will not have the field to themselves. The Democrats form a strong minority in the House and the Republican margin in the Senate is so small that a bolt by a few Republican progressives can prevent the enactment of a reactionary measure unless the reactionary Republicans are able to get enough reactionary Democrats to offset the defection.

The most difficult question is the one involving the conflict between private monopoly and Government ownership. This question is the underlying issue in the railway question, the telegraph question and the telephone question.

"I believe in Government ownership of all monopoly; that is, wherever competition is impossible, the monopoly must belong to the Government, and not to private individuals, but I think the ownership should be by the Government unit best able to administer the monopoly for the public welfare. For instance, city waterworks and lighting plants and telephone exchanges should be owned by the cities. The telegraph lines and long-distance telephone lines should be owned by the Federal Government and operated in connection with the Post Office Department. In the matter of railroads, I believe that the Federal Government should own a trunk line system, reaching into every State, and that the State should own and operate the local lines—the distributing radii.

"Profiteering will demand attention, but here, too, you will find the same difficulty. It has been impossible so far to secure effective machinery for the prevention of profiteering, because the profiteers control the newspapers. They do the advertising. Read the editorials and you will find that a great deal of space is now being given to the defense, not of the profiteer, but of the commercial class which does the profiteering. The middleman has an influence far beyond his numbers, and there is a class consciousness that binds all predatory interests together."

"How are you going to reach these evils?"

"There is no panacea. The popularising of government is the most fundamental remedy. For 20 years we have been making progress toward more and more popular government. I regard the adoption of the initiative and referendum as the next great constitutional reform after woman suffrage. To understand the progressiveness of this period one need only enumerate the three constitutional reforms already accomplished—popular election of Senators, income tax and prohibition; the one nearing completion—woman suffrage—and the next one on the list, direct legislation through the initiative and referendum. When we began our fight for the initiative and referendum in Nebraska, nearly 24 years ago, it was ridiculed, and the East continued to laugh at it until Massachusetts adopted it. But, with such States as Ohio, Illinois, Missouri, and California now employing the initiative and referendum, the conservatives will have to recognise it as one of the coming changes.

"The question of taxation, always important is now acute, because pressure will be brought to bear in favor of a reduction in taxation. How shall the reduction be made? Already there is a propaganda in favor of beginning the reduction at the top—that is, in favor of reducing the taxes on large incomes more rapidly than on small, not because such reduction is just, but because the big taxpayers are influential. The big newspapers are singing the same song on this subject—namely, that big taxes on business are largely responsible for the high cost of living, the tax being transferred to consumer.

"But wait until the Senators and Representatives go back to their constituents. They will not find it easy to explain favors to those who make excess profits, when the public learns, as it is learning, that many soft coal companies made enormous profits during the war. They will not indorse the demand for reduction of taxes on these profits. Several coal companies made over 1,000 percent—that is, in one year they made a profit of more than ten times the amount invested in their business. The records seem to show that more millionaires were created in the United States during the last five years than in all the previous history of the country. Any partiality shown to war-made fortunes will be resented by the mass of the people.

"I think both parties are likely to declare in favor of the doctrine of collective bargaining, which seems to be one of the issues raised, and I expect both parties to favor the investigation of all disputes before they reach the strike or lockout stake—a plan modeled after the Peace Treaty plan. Compulsory arbitration is not suited to our political ideas, but compulsory investigation is an entirely different thing and in perfect harmony with our theory of Government. Public opinion is all-powerful, when the people know the facts. An investigation will bring out the facts.'

"Would public opinion settle a strike like that of the miners or the steel workers?"

"It would do more. It would prevent a strike, if the investigation should precede. The public is the largest party at interest and can be relied on to do justice."

On the question of Presidential candidates Mr. Bryan said:

"I shall gladly support the most bitter personal enemy I have, if I believe him to be a friend of the people, and I shall oppose the best friend I have, if I believe him to be an enemy of the people. My obligation is to the mass, not to individuals.'

Mr. Bryan also spoke of "the helplessness of the public in the discussion of an economic question when great financial interests are on one side and the unorganised, uninformed public on the other."

"The public," he said, "will some day rebel against the newspaper situation and insist that a Government which consults the people as a source of power is induty bound to see to it that the people are informed as to the issues upon which they are called to act."

"What remedy do you propose?"

"A Government bulletin, not a newspaper, but an official bulletin, containing the issues as presented by legislative and executive action, with editorial space divided between the two parties and used for the presentation of the arguments pro and con."

THE CHINA PRESS MAIL SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1920

Date and Destination	Per	Chi.	Br.	USA	Rus.	Jap.	Reg
TODAY							
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Vladivostok, Russia and Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00	..	..	..	..	17.00
Chefoo	Koonshing	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Chefoo and Tientsin	do	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Japan, via Kobe	Kaga Maru	13.30	..	..	..	..	13.00
Japan Ports	do	..	12.30	..	..	..	..
Hankow	Woosung	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
V'stok and Siberia via Pukow & Harbin (Daily expect Sunday)	Train			..	17.00	..	17.00
Ningpo	Kiangteen	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Tientsin	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Hankow	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
TOMORROW							
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Weihaiwei and Chefoo	Tungchow	9.00	..	..	..	..	8.30
W'wei, C'foo & T'tsin	do	..	9.00	..	..	..	..
H'kong, S. Ports, Straits, & Europe via Suez	Calcutta M.	16.30	..	..	..	..	16.00
Monday, March 1.							
Hongkong	Shantung	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Hongkong and Canton	Shantung	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Nagasaki, Kobe, Y'hama, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe via Canada	Kashima M.	..	16.00	..	..	..	15.30
Vladivostok, Russia and Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00	..				17.00
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Hongkong and Canton	Chengtu	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Tuesday, March 2.							
S'tow, H'kong & C'ton	Hangsang	11.00	..	..	..	..	10.30
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe	Venezuela	16.00	..	..	..	..	15.30
Japan Ports	Omi Maru	19.00	17.00	..	..	..	18.30
Swatow & Hongkong	Hangsang	..	11.00	..	..	..	..
Wednesday, March 3.							
Weihaiwei and Chefoo	Kingsing	9.00	..	..	..	..	8.30
W'wei, C'foo, and T'tsin	do	..	9.00	..	..	..	..
Thursday, March 4.							
H'kong, S. Ports, Straits, Ceylon, India & Europe Via Suez	Kashmir	..	A7.00	..	..	..	..

A Registered and parcel post at 5 p.m. on previous day.

B Letters and boxes with declared value at 7:30 p.m. Parcels at 4 p.m. and money orders at 3 p.m.

The Chinese Post Office will close two mails daily for Tsingtao, Tientsin, Peking, etc.

a.—at 21 for S. N. R. 23 o'clock train

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Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
———	—	New York	Moorish Prince	Br.	S.T. & Co.
Mar. 1	—	Portland	Montague	Am.	A. Line
Mar. 1	—	Seattle	Cross Keys	Am.	A. Line
Mar. 2	—	Seattle	Kashima Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 2	—	San Francisco	Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 3	—	San Francisco	Stanley Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Mar. 4	—	Tacoma	Africa Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
Mar. 5	—	San Francisco	Nile	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 5	—	San Francisco	Archer	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 10	—	New York, Boston	Hatchie	Am.	A. Line
Mar. 13	—	Vancouver	E. of Russia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Mar. 14	—	San Francisco	Tenyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
Mar. 15	—	New York	Charlton Hall	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 15	—	San Francisco	West Mingo	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 15	—	New York	Genoa Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 17	—	San Francisco	West Sequana	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 17	—	San Francisco	Col. Springs	Am.	S. & Dix
Mar. 18	—	San Francisco	West Harts	Am.	Dollar Co.
Mar. 20	—	Portland	Abercos	Am.	A. Line
Mar. 22	—	Seattle, etc.	Fushimi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 25	—	Vancouver	Melville Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Mar. 25	—	New York, Boston	Western Cross	Am.	A. Line
Mar. 27	—	San Francisco	Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 27	—	Vancouver	Harold Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Mar. 27	—	Vancouver	Monteagle	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Mar. 29	—	San Francisco	West Ira	Am.	Dollar Co.
Apr. 1	—	Vancouver	E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Apr. 1	—	San Francisco	West Cactus	Am.	S. & Dix.
Apr. 6	—	San Francisco	West Jessup	Am.	Dollar Co.
Apr. 10	—	Vancouver	E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Apr. 19	—	Baltimore v. Panama	Moreland	Am.	S. & Dix
Apr. 24	—	San Francisco	Colombia	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Feb. 28	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yawata Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 3	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 6	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Yamashiro Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 6	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Takeshima M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 9	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Chikugo Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 10	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 13	—	Kobe	Japan	Br.	M. M. Co.
Mar. 16	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hamo	Kasuga Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Feb. —	—	A., Ridam, A'werp	Laomedon	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. —	—	London	Glenariffe	Br	G. L. E. A.
Feb. —	—	Marseilles	Kouangsi	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Mar. 2	—	Melbourne, etc.	Hwanping	Chi.	W. O. & Co.
Mar. 3	—	London	Atsuta Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 4	—	London	Kashmir	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Mar. 6	—	Batavia	Tjitaroem	Dut.	H.C.T.Co.
Mar. 7	—	Marseilles	Amazone	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Mar. 10	—	Bombay	Dunera	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Mar. 11	—	London	Hyson	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 12	—	London	Swazi	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 12	—	London	Banca	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Mar. 13	—	Calcutta	Japan	Br.	M.M. & Co.
Mar. 15	—	London, etc.	Shidzuoka Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 16	—	London	Penbrokeshire	Br.	G. L. E. A.
Mar. 18	—	Liverpool	Hector	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 22	—	Marseilles	Paul Lecat	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Mar. 22	—	Liverpool	K. Companion	Br.	B. & S
Mar. 31	—	Venice, Trieste,	Pilsna	Ital.	D. & Co.
Mar. 31	—	Liverpool, etc.	Toba Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. —	—	Marseilles	Armand Behic	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Apr. 1	—	Hamburg, etc.	Dakar Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May —	—	Marseilles	Andre Lebon	Fr.	M. M. Cie

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Feb. 28	D.L.	S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Chenan	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 28	—	Foochow	Toonan	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 28	4.00	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 28	—	Hongkong, Canton	Taishun	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 29	—	Amoy, Swatow	Tungwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 1	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Mar. 2	D.L.	Hongkong, Canton	Shantung	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 2	D.L.	Hongkong, Canton	Chengtu	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 2	noon	S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Hangsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 3	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 6	—	Manila, Hongkong	Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 8	—	Manila, Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Mar. 11	—	Hongkong	Montenegle	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Mar. 13	—	Hongkong	Nanking	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Feb. 28	D.L.	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Chekiang	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 28	D.L.	Chefoo, Tsingtau	Kwellin	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 28	—	Chefoo, Tientsin	Yushun	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 29	—	Chinwangtao	Burrumbeet	Br.	K.M.A.
Feb. 29	10.00*	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Tungchow	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 2	—	Tientsin	Kwangping	Br.	K.M.A.
Mar. 2	9.00*	Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap.	S.M.R.
Mar. 3	10.00*	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Kingsing	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Mar. 5	2.00	Vladivostok	Simbirsk	Rus.	R.V.F.
Mar. 5	—	Tsingtoo, Dairen	Kobe Maru	Jap.	S.M.R.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Feb. 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tachi Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Feb. 29	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahta	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Mar. 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahlee	Chi.	J.M. & Co.
Mar. 1	D.L.	Pukow	Ichang	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Yohyang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Mar. 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Klangfoo	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 2	D.L.	Wuhu	Kanzu	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 2	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Talee Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Mar. 2	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 2	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tungting	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 3	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Siangyang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Mar. 4	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Mar. 5	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 6	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Waishing	Br.	J.M. & Co.

*A.M. M.N.—MIDNIGHT. D.L.—DAYLIGHT

Information For Mariners

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1920

High Water at Woosung Bar

(The day tides are higher than the night tides, they are about equal at 2 o'clock).

Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 8 1/4 h; at neaps, 7 1/2 h.

A.M. Time H	M	Range Ft.	In.	P.M. Time H	M	Range Ft.	In.
6	16	6	1	7	5	3	11

High Water at Tungsha Lightship

(The day tides are higher than the night tides).

Approximate rise, 5 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H	M	P.M. H	M
5	5	5	42

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
0 18 p.m.	1 31 a.m.	6 33	5 54	5 48	6 38

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Much Has Been Gained By The Examiner's Visit To The Orient

New York, Jan. 8.—The sixth annual report covering the work of the office of George F. Mitchell, supervising tea examiner, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1919, has been made public by the Treasury Department. Part of the report follows:

"During the year more than a thousand samples of tea were secured from the different tea examiners and reviewed in comparison with Government standards. Samples of all rejections were also reviewed. From my study of these samples I found the action of the tea examiners wonderfully uniform and in only a few cases did I disagree with their decisions, and in these cases they were notified regarding in what particular I disagreed with them.

"In many cases tea examiners sent in unusual samples upon which to seek information as to whether they should or should not be rejected. In these cases, after an opinion was rendered, the other examiners were informed of the decision of the office, so that uniformity of action on similar teas would be taken at all the ports of examination.

"My annual inspection trip was made during the months of October and November, during which all the tea examining ports were visited, excepting Honolulu, for a period of one to two weeks each. During my stay at the ports nearly all samples then arriving were examined jointly with the examiner at the port, thus standardising the technique of the different examiners and promoting uniformity in the conduct of the service. This being my first inspection trip since my return from my studies in the Far East, there was much that was new to discuss with the examiners that would aid in greater uniformity of inspection.

"It is gratifying to report that during the fiscal year just ended no teas whatsoever containing impurities (artificial color, facing, etc.,) were offered for admission into the United States. This shows that the campaign begun some years ago against coloring, facing, and other impurities in tea has accomplished the object in view. This result is mainly due to the hearty co-operation given this office by the tea trade in general and its adherence to the simple test laid down by the department which buyers used in the purchase of teas in the Far East.

"I believe this reform was aided very much by my visit to the Orient, at which time the purpose and operation of our 'tea law' was carefully explained to producers and exporters. All seemed to be interested in what our Government was doing in this direction. It is gratifying to state that, although this reform was undertaken solely for the protection of the tea trade and the consumers of the United States, it has been taken up by the producers and exporters of the tea-producing countries, as well as by their Governments, and has had a world-wide effect.

"The regulations put into operation May 1, 1918, requiring that all samples for examination be drawn by customs officials have worked very satisfactorily. Much time is saved in securing samples for examination. Moreover, the sampling at all ports is placed on a uniform basis.

"During the fiscal year 1919 there was examined a total of 113,338,535 pounds of tea. Of this amount 1,420,568 pounds, or 1.25 percent, were rejected by the tea examiners for not being equal to the Government standard of quality. Of these rejections 939,187 pounds, or 66 percent were appealed to the United States Board of Tea Appeals by the importers, and the total amount appealed, 898,450 pounds, or 95.8 percent, were rejected and 39,737 pounds, or 4.2 percent admitted. The 39,737 pounds admitted by the United States Board of Tea Appeals brings the total amount that was finally imported for human consumption up to 111,957,709 pounds, and reduces the amount finally rejected to 1,380,831 pounds, or 1.2 percent of the total amount examined.

"The large percentage of rejection of India, Japan dust, and Java teas was due to the fact that much of these teas just slightly under the Government standard were brought in for human consumption with the hope that they would pass the Government standard and escape the cent-a-pound duty that is placed on teas when imported for manufacturing purposes. However, upon being rejected, they were re-entered for the latter purpose."

COMING! COMING!

"NAZIMOZA"

Harvard Discovers A Bright New Star,

Cambridge, Mass., January 7.—Another star has been discovered by the Harvard College Observatory. It was announced tonight that Miss Joanna C. S. Mackie of the observatory staff, in the course of her examination of photographs of the milky way taken recently at Cambridge, had detected the new comet. Its position is Right Ascension 18 hours 39 minutes 30 seconds, declination plus 29 degrees 6.3 minutes (1900).

Miss Cannon of the observatory staff has studied the spectrum of the new star and finds it to be characteristic of a nova in its early stages. Between December 4 and 6 it increased rapidly in brightness from the sixteenth magnitude, or fainter, to a maximum of about 6.5. Since that time it has undergone marked fluctuations, and its present magnitude is only about 8.5. It is, therefore, far too faint to be seen with the naked eye.

Other observatories with large instruments are being asked by the Harvard Observatory to determine detailed characteristics of the spectrum of the new star and are being informed that while it is now far to the west in the evening, it will soon be accessible for study in the early morning.

The discovery just made is the thirty-fifth of its kind in the history of astronomy and the nineteenth to the credit of the Harvard College Observatory. In the 400 years preceding 1886 only nine new stars were detected. In the interval between 1886 and Miss Mackie's discovery 25 have been located, 18 of them by the Harvard staff and the other seven by observations in other places.

Launch Services

Tuesday, March 2, 1920

The tender conveying passengers on board the S.M.R. s.s Sakaki Maru will leave the Customs jetty at 8 a.m.

Friday, March 5, 1920

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the R.V.F. s.s. Simbirsk will leave the Customs jetty at 2 p.m.

Sunday, March 7, 1920

The tender Whangpoo conveying passengers and mails on board the M.M. s.s. Amazone will leave the M. M. jetty (French Bund) at 9 a.m.

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